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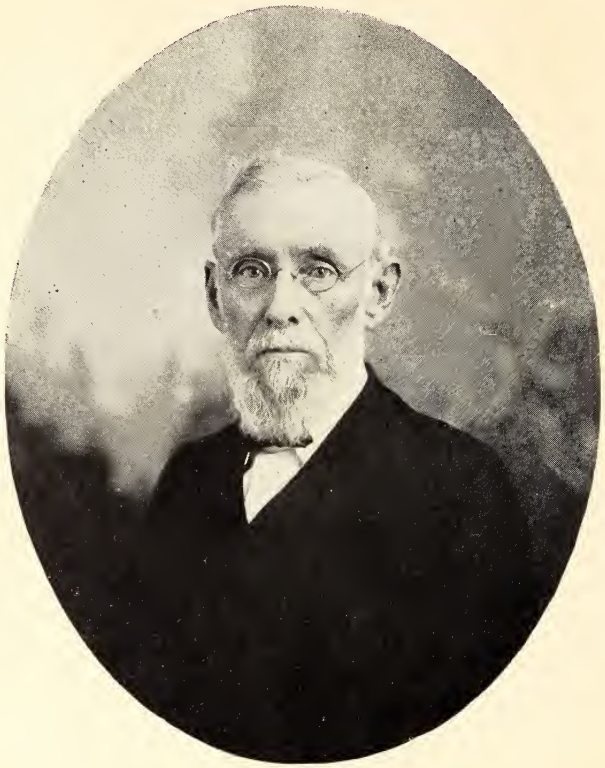

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## FIRST DAY.

**Convening.**—The Louisiana Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, convened in its sixty-seventh annual session Wednesday, December 11, 1912, at 9 A.M., in the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in Monroe, La., Bishop Edwin D. Mouzon in the chair.

**Opening Service.**—The Bishop conducted the opening service, which consisted of singing Hymn 1, "O for a thousand tongues to sing"; prayer; singing Hymn 388, "A charge to keep I have"; reading and expounding 2 Timothy i.

**Calling of the Roll.**—The roll was called by the Secretary of the preceding session of the Conference, and the following members and lay delegates were found to be present:

*Clerical.*—J. F. Wynn, R. A. Davis, Robert Randle, J. M. Brown, R. S. Isbell, J. D. Harper, S. J. Davies, D. C. Barr, H. J. Boltz, J. O. Bennett, J. I. Hoffpauir, H. S. Johns, H. W. May, F. S. Parker, W. F. Henderson, W. J. Porter, J. B. Williams, J. F. Foster, J. J. Kelley, C. F. Staples, William Schuhle, W. W. Drake, J. M. Henry, B. H. Sheppard, S. S. Bogan, R. W. Tucker, P. M. Brown, R. H. Wynn, J. W. Lee, C. C. Miller, R. W. Vaughan, A. W. Turner, A. S. J. Neill, C. C. Wier, P. O. Lowrey, K. W. Dodson, F. N. Sweeney, G. D. Purcell, Martin Hebert, W. R. Harvell, C. D. Atkinson, H. N. Brown, J. G. Sloane, J. R. Roy, L. C. Wilson, E. K. Means, H. W. Bowman, W. D. Kleinschmidt, L. N. Hoffpauir, S. D. Howard, H. B. Carré, S. L. Riggs, W. H. Coleman, J. D. Nesom, P. H. Fontaine, J. S. Rutledge, F. M. Freeman, W. W. Holmes, F. R. Hill, H. R. Singleton, A. G. Shankle, A. F. Vaughan, L. A. Humphries, A. S. Lutz, H. T. Carley, W. L. Hunter, A. R. Hoffpauir, M. C. Holt, H. N. Harrison, J. W. Booth, T. J. Holladay, J. B. Fulton, R. H. Harper, W. L. Doss, Jr., John Sholars, Elton Wilson, H. W. Ledbetter, V. D. Skipper, John C. Price, S. S. Holladay, C. B. Powell, C. V. Breithaupt, F. J. McCoy, Charles A. Battle, C. F. Sheppard, C. M. Morris, L. I. McCain, A. J. Gearheard, D. C. Bennett, S. H. Werlein, J. T. Sawyer, J. A. McCormack, R. S. Walton, T. V. Peters, J. G. Snelling, H. T. Young, R. H. Bamburg, L. E. Crooks, H. B. Perritt, A. H. Parker, G. E. Cameron, F. R. Power, W. B. Vandenburg, H. Wade Cudd, J. C. Rousseaux, J. A. Alford, E. C. Grice, J. W. Faulk, F. R. Hill, Jr., C. M. Thompson, T. H. Morris, T. D. Lipscomb, W. W. Perry.

*On Trial.*—J. E. Craig, G. P. White, R. M. Brown, George Fox, T. J. Embree, O. L. Tucker, W. F. Roberts, R. V. Fulton, L. Hoffpauir, S. D. Roberts, D. L. Griffin, W. M. Oakes.

*Lay Delegates.*—Alexandria District, P. A. Swann, H. H. White; Baton

Rouge District, W. S. Holmes, R. R. Reid, (Rev.) H. C. Murphy; Lafayette District, A. M. Mayo; Monroe District, R. O. Randle, C. H. Peavy; New Orleans District, W. L. Ellis; Ruston District, R. T. McClendon, C. H. Henry, (Rev.) J. L. Lay, Aaron Dreggers; Shreveport District, none.

(For roll, see Appendix, pages 47-49.)

**Election of Secretaries.**—F. S. Parker was elected Secretary. Upon nomination of the Secretary, M. C. Holt was elected Assistant Secretary; R. W. Vaughan was elected Statistical Secretary, and R. H. Harper, W. L. Doss, Jr., and R. S. Walton were elected Assistants to the Statistical Secretary.

**Hours.**—On motion of T. J. Norsworthy, the hour of meeting was fixed at 9 A.M., and of adjourning at 12 noon.

**Bar Fixed.**—On motion of J. M. Henry, the bar of the Conference was fixed at the line bounding the Sunday school annex.

**Substitutions.**—The following substitutes were made on the roll of lay delegates: Lafayette District, A. A. Bernard in place of R. P. Howell; New Orleans District, S. H. Meyer in place of J. H. Snyder; Shreveport District, W. L. Phillips in place of A. F. Jackson.

**Standing Committees.**—R. H. Wynn, for the Committee of Presiding Elders, made the following nominations, which were confirmed by the Conference:

*Committee on Conference Relations.*—H. W. Bowman, H. N. Brown, L. A. Humphries, W. W. Holmes, J. W. Lee, S. S. Holladay, and F. M. Freeman.

*Committee on Memoirs.*—C. M. Morris for the memoir of N. S. Cornell; J. D. Harper for the memoirs of J. M. Johnston, George Jackson, and T. J. Upton; C. W. Carter for the memoir of J. A. Miller; S. J. Davies for the memoir of H. O. White; C. C. Miller for the memoir of S. S. Keener; R. A. Davis for the memoir of Mrs. W. D. Stayton; Robert Randle for the memoir of Mrs. B. F. Alexander.

*Committee on Public Worship.*—William Schuhle, T. J. Norsworthy, and R. O. Randle.

*Committee on District Conference Records.*—J. C. Rousseaux, L. I. McCain, and J. L. Lay.

*Committee on Church Publications.*—G. E. Cameron, A. F. Vaughan, C. A. Battle, J. B. Fulton, John Sholars, R. H. Harper, E. K. Means, and Crow Girard.

*Committee on Sabbath Observance.*—F. R. Hill, Jr., S. D. Howard, J. W. Booth, H. W. Ledbetter, L. N. Hoffpauir, A. S. J. Neill, J. B. Williams, W. L. Ellis, C. M. Noble.

*Committee on Temperance.*—J. W. Moore, J. M. Alford, J. E. Williams, W. W. Drake, A. W. Turner, R. R. Reid, and H. N. Harrison.

**Order of Day for Friday.**—R. H. Wynn, for the Presiding Elders, moved the following recommendation, which was adopted:

> We recommend that the report of the Committee on Memoirs be made the order of the day for Friday, at 10 A.M.

**Vacancies in Legal Conference Filled.**—R. W. Tucker nominated J. M. Henry to fill the vacancy in the Legal Conference made by the death of S. S.

Keener, and Paul M. Brown for that occasioned by the removal of N. E. Joyner to the foreign field.

**Communications Referred.**—Communications were received and referred as follows: From the Epworth League Board to the Conference Epworth League Board; from the Publishing Agents to the Committee on Church Publications; from the Board of Education to the Conference Board of Education; from the Board of Trustees to the Joint Board of Finance; from the Board of Church Extension to the Conference Board of Church Extension; from the Sunday League of America to the Committee on Sabbath Observance; from the American Bible Society to the Bible Society Board; from the New Orleans Preachers' Meeting concerning the opening of a depository in New Orleans, to the Committee on Church Publications; from the Committee of Publication of the *New Orleans Christian Advocate* to the Committee on Church Publications.

**Introductions.**—Dr. Gross Alexander, editor of the *Review,* Dr. Stonewall Anderson, Secretary of the Board of Education, Dr. W. F. McMurry, Corresponding Secretary of the Board of Church Extension, and Rev. T. J. Norsworthy, transferred from the Southwest Missouri Conference, were introduced.

**Character.**—Question 22 was called: Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?

The names of Paul M. Brown, R. W. Tucker, J. M. Henry, William Schuhle, R. H. Wynn, C. C. Miller, and Briscoe Carter were called and their characters passed.

The names of J. F. Wynn, F. G. Hocutt, M. G. Jenkins, J. L. P. Sheppard, H. Armstrong, C. W. Carter, R. J. Harp, R. S. Isbell, J. F. Patterson, J. A. Parker, A. J. Coburn, T. S. Randle, and J. H. Brown were called, their characters were passed, and, on motion, they were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the superannuate relation.

The name of J. R. Roy was called, his character passed, and, on motion, he was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations without recommendation.

The name of T. M. Buley was called. It was stated by Elton Wilson and H. W. Bowman that he had become a minister in the Congregational Church and was serving a pastorate in California.

On motion of J. D. Harper, it was ordered that his name be stricken from the roll with the notation: "Withdrawn from our ministry and Church."

The names of E. N. Evans, J. T. Sawyer, and T. M. Wafer were called and their characters passed.

On motion of R. W. Turner, T. M. Wafer was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the supernumerary relation.

At his own request, J. T. Sawyer was referred for the superannuate relation.

**Locations.**—Question 18 was called: Who are located this year?

A letter from E. N. Evans was read, requesting a location, and the Conference granted his request.

**Announcement of Deaths.**—It was announced that John A. Miller, T. J. Upton, H. O. White, George Jackson, J. M. Johnston, N. S. Cornell, and S. S.

Keener had died during the year; and that Mrs. J. D. Stayton and Mrs. B. F. Alexander, widows of preachers, had died. The names were referred without motion to the Committee on Memoirs.

**Dr. Stonewall Anderson** briefly addressed the Conference.

**Adjournment.**—Announcements were made, the doxology was sung, the benediction was received, and the Conference adjourned on motion.

## SECOND DAY.

**Convening.**—Conference convened, according to rule, in the session of the second day, Thursday, December 12, at 9 A.M., Bishop Mouzon in the chair.

**Opening Service.**—The Bishop conducted the opening devotional service, which consisted of singing Hymn 393, "Am I a soldier of the cross?" prayer, led by J. D. Harper; singing Hymn 544, "I love to tell the story"; and reading and expounding 2 Timothy ii.

**Approval of Minutes.**—The minutes of the first day's session were read and approved.

**Roll Call.**—On motion by F. S. Parker, it was ordered that the names of those not answering at roll call yesterday be called, and that the calling of the roll be thereafter dispensed with.

These names were called, showing the following to be present:

*Clerical.*—C. W. Carter, T. J. Warlick, W. R. Harvell, E. L. Cargill, J. L. Sutton, A. I. Townsley, A. J. Bonnett, J. W. Harper, G. A. Morgan, and G. D. Anders.

*On Trial.*—H. W. Jamieson, J. H. Hoffpauir, W. B. Perritt.

*Lay Delegates.*—Lafayette District, A. A. Bernard, Crow Girard; Monroe District, C. M. Noble; Shreveport District, W. F. Henderson, Jr., S. H. Porter.

**Transfers.**—Question 6 was called: Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? The Bishop announced the following transfers:

T. J. Norsworthy, an elder from the Southwest Missouri Conference; W. W. Armstrong, an elder from the Texas Conference; W. S. Henry, an elder from the South Carolina Conference.

**Admission on Trial.**—Question 1 was called: Who are admitted on trial?

William Andrew Mangum, recommended by the licensing committee of the District Conference of the Baton Rouge District, William Vincent Falcon, recommended by the District Conference of the Lafayette District, Eugene B. Troy, recommended by the District Conference of the New Orleans District, Franklin Lafayette Tucker, recommended by the District Conference of the Ruston District, and Charles E. Fike, recommended by the licensing committee of the Shreveport District, the Committees of Examination and Admissions reporting favorably, were admitted on trial.

**Traveling Deacons Elected.**—Question 10 was called: What traveling preachers are elected deacons?

The names were called and characters passed of Hugh William Jamieson, Robert Milton Brown, George Fox, Thomas Jefferson Embree, Ollie Lee Tucker, and

James Hervey Hoffpauir. The Committees of Examination and Admissions reporting favorably, they were elected to deacon's orders and advanced to the class of the third year.

**Remaining on Trial.**—Question 2 was called: Who remain on trial?

The names of J. E. Craig, W. B. Perritt, W. F. Roberts, and R. V. Fulton were called, and their characters were passed. The Committee of Examination reporting adversely, they remained on trial in the class of the second year.

**Character.**—Question 22 was called: Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?

The name of George P. White was called and his character passed. Being in elder's orders and the Committee of Examination reporting favorably, he was advanced to the class of the third year.

The name was called and character passed of D. C. Bennett, in full connection and in orders, and in the class of the second year. The Committee of Examination reporting adversely, he was continued in the class of the second year.

The names were called and characters passed of C. B. Powell, J. C. Price, and S. S. Holladay, being in elder's orders and in the class of the fourth year. The Committee of Examination reporting favorably, they were graduated in the course of study.

**R. W. Tucker** was excused from attendance on the ground of sickness at home.

**Discontinued.**—Question 3 was called: Who are discontinued?

J. W. Reed, not having been before the committees, was discontinued.

**Local Deacons.**—Question 12 was called: What local preachers are elected deacons?

Answer: None.

**Traveling Elders Elected.**—Question 14 was called: What traveling preachers are elected elders?

The names were called and the characters passed of Robert Stanton Walton, Timothy Victor Peters, Gustavus Adam Morgan, Francis Roland Power, John Garrison Snelling, Henry Thomas Young, Robert Hosea Bamburg, Thomas Jefferson Holladay, John Lugood Sutton, John Wesley Faulk, Lindsey Ezell Crooks. Having been two years traveling deacons, and the Committees of Examination for the third and fourth years reporting favorably in the case of L. E. Crooks, and the Committee of the Fourth Year reporting favorably on the others, they were elected to elder's orders.

**Deacons of One Year.**—Question 9 was called: Who are the deacons of one year?

The names were called and the characters passed of T. D. Lipscomb and L. A. Sims. Not having been before the Committee of Examination, they remained in the class of the fourth year. The character of T. M. Wafer was passed, and he was continued in the class of the fourth year.

**Local Elders.**—Question 16 was called: What local preachers are elected elders?

Answer: None.

**Dr. Gross Alexander** addressed the Conference.

**Extension of Time.**—The time of adjournment having arrived, on motion of F. S. Parker, the time was extended.

**Mrs. Abel Bliss,** President of the Louisiana Conference Woman's Missionary Society, was introduced and briefly addressed the Conference.

**Introductions.**—Rev. J. J. Morgan, Agency Secretary of the American Bible Society, Prof. John W. Gilbert, of Paine College, Miss Roberts, Field Agent of the *New Orleans Christian Advocate,* and W. C. Everett, Manager of the Dallas Branch of the Publishing House, were introduced.

**Adjournment.**—Announcements were made, the doxology was sung, the benediction received, and the Conference adjourned by limitation of time.

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## THIRD DAY.

**Convening.**—Conference convened, according to rule, in session of the third day, Friday, December 13, at 9 A.M., Bishop Mouzon in the chair.

**Opening Service.**—The opening devotional service was conducted by the Bishop, and consisted of singing Hymn 355, "Love divine, all loves excelling"; prayer, led by Houston Armstrong; singing Hymn 279, "Rock of ages, cleft for me"; and the reading and exposition of 2 Timothy iii.

**Approval of Minutes.**—The minutes of the previous day's session were read and approved.

**Attendance Noted.**—The presence of F. N. Parker, J. W. Moore, Houston Armstrong, and W. E. Thomas was noted; also that of S. H. Meyer and W. W. Sutcliff, lay delegates from the New Orleans District, and J. E. Williams and T. W. Holloman, lay delegates from the Alexandria District.

**Communications Referred.**—A communication from the Whitney-Central National Bank was referred to the Joint Board of Finance; one from the A. Le Mon Company was referred to the Legal Conference. A communication from the Biblical Department of Vanderbilt University was referred to the Conference Board of Education. A communication from the Sunday School Department was referred to the Conference Sunday School Board. The report of the Board of Trustees of the New Orleans Depository was received and referred to the Committee on Church Publications.

**Mrs. Tucker's Death.**—The Bishop announced the grievous news that Mrs. R. W. Tucker had died at midnight.

On motion, the Secretary was instructed to telegraph Brother Tucker of our sympathy with him and his children in their bereavement.

**Introductions.**—T. H. Morris, transferred last year from the Texas Conference, and Dr. Ed F. Cook, Secretary of the Foreign Department of the Board of Missions, were introduced.

**Readmission.**—Question 5 was called: Who are readmitted?

W. T. Woodward, being recommended by the District Conference of the Rus-

ton District, and the Committee of Admissions reporting favorably, was readmitted.

**Ministers Received from Other Churches.**—Question 8 was called: Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers?

D. A. Morris, a deacon in the class of the fourth year in the Northeast Ohio Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, being recommended by the Committee of Admissions, was received in full connection.

W. H. Long, a minister in the Baptist Church, being recommended by the Committee of Admissions, was received in full connection and in elder's orders.

**Deacons of One Year.**—Question 9 was called: Who are the deacons of one year?

Answer: D. A. Morris, received in the class of the fourth year.

**Memorial Service.**—The order of the day being now due, Question 21 was called: What preachers have died during the year?

Hymn 597, "Servant of God, well done!" was sung; the Conference was led in prayer by C. W. Carter; the ninetieth Psalm was read by J. D. Harper; the fifteenth chapter of First Corinthians was read by C. W. Carter.

The memoir of John A. Miller was read by C. W. Carter; that of Thomas J. Upton by J. D. Harper; that of Henry O. White by S. J. Davies; that of George Jackson (prepared by J. D. Harper) by Felix R. Hill; that of J. M. Johnston (prepared by J. D. Harper) by J. M. Brown; that of Nathan S. Cornell by C. M. Morris; that of Samuel S. Keener by Crow Girard, Esq.

In connection with the answer to the question, the memoir of Mrs. J. D. Stayton was read by R. A. Davis, and that of Mrs. B. F. Alexander by Robert Randle.

Hymn 583, "Asleep in Jesus, blessed sleep!" was sung.

C. C. Wier, S. H. Werlein, Robert Randle, J. M. Brown, J. T. Sawyer, C. F. Staples, F. M. Freeman, R. S. Isbell, C. W. Carter, A. W. Turner, H. C. Murphy, J. I. Hoffpauir, W. J. Porter, Briscoe Carter, F. N. Parker, and F. S. Parker made memorial remarks on the lives of the deceased brethren and sisters.

The report of the Committee on Memoirs was adopted. (See Appendix, page 64.)

**Leave of absence** was granted W. H. Coleman and F. R. Hill.

**Adjournment.**—Announcements were made, the doxology was sung, the benediction was received, and the Conference adjourned according to rule.

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## FOURTH DAY.

**Convening.**—Conference convened, according to rule, in session of the fourth day, Saturday, December 14, at 9 A.M., Bishop Mouzon in the chair.

**Opening Service.**—The opening devotional service was conducted by the Bishop, and consisted of singing Hymn 506, "I need Thee every hour"; prayer, led by V. D. Skipper; and the reading and exposition of 2 Timothy iv.

**Approval of Minutes.**—The minutes of the previous day's session were read and approved.

**Attendance Noted.**—The attendance of W. E. Akin, E. L. Cargill, and J. M. Alford, clerical members, W. L. Calhoun, a lay delegate from the Monroe District, and S. H. Porter, a lay delegate from the Shreveport District, was noted.

**Local Preachers from Other Churches.**—Question 7 was called: Who are received from other Churches as local preachers?

Abel Hoffpauir, a local deacon in the Methodist Episcopal Church, was recommended by the District Conference of the Lafayette District. Not having sent in a certificate of agreement with us in doctrine and discipline, he was received on condition that he appear before a bishop at the earliest opportunity and affirm his agreement with us in doctrine and discipline.

**Discontinued.**—Question 3 was called: Who are discontinued?

T. W. H. Chisholm, C. C. Clark (withdrawn), S. J. McLean (at his own request), and W. M. Oakes (at his request) were discontinued.

**Remaining on Trial.**—Question 2 was called: Who remain on trial?

The names were called and the characters passed of Louis Hoffpauir, S. D. Roberts, and D. L. Griffin, and the Committee of Examination reporting favorably, they were advanced to the class of the second year and remain on trial.

J. L. Cady, not having been before the Committee of Examination, was continued in the class of the first year.

**Deacons of One Year.**—Question 9 was called: Who are the deacons of one year?

The names were called and the characters passed of A. J. Bonnett, J. C. Rousseaux, H. W. Cudd, and J. A. McCormack. The Committee of Examination reporting favorably, they were advanced to the class of the fourth year. The names were called and the characters passed of J. A. Alford, J. W. Harper, and W. J. Newsom. Not having been before the Committee of Examination, they were continued in the class of the third year.

**Dr. Newman,** pastor of the First Presbyterian Church and Moderator of the Synod of Louisiana, was introduced.

**Character.**—Question 22 was called: Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?

The names were called and the characters passed of S. H. Werlein, F. M. Freeman, E. L. Cargill, H. W. May, J. F. Foster, A. R. Hoffpauir, J. J. Kelley, W. D. Kleinschmidt, R. H. Harper, C. B. Powell, H. W. Ledbetter, C. F. Sheppard, H. W. Bowman, S. D. Howard, W. W. Drake, L. C. Wilson, H. B. Perritt, Elton Wilson, S. L. Riggs, J. B. Fulton, F. N. Sweeney, J. D. Harper, H. S. Johns, H. B. Vandenburg, C. D. Atkinson, J. I. Hoffpauir, C. C. Wier, J. D. Nesom, C. V. Breithaupt, J. S. Rutledge, M. C. Holt, J. O. Bennett, H. N. Harrison, A. S. J. Neill, T. J. Warlick, K. W. Dodson, John Sholars, B. T. Crews, M. Hebert, L. I. McCain, C. M. Thompson, J. W. Booth, W. L. Doss, C. A. Battle, J. W. Moore, C. C. Selecman, A. J. Gearheard, H. R. Singleton, A. G. Shankle, W. E. Thomas, F. N. Parker, H. B. Carré, Thomas Carter, F. S. Parker, A. I. Townsley, Robert Randle, J. G. Sloane, G. D. Anders, A. S. Lutz, A. H. Parker, W. J. Porter, E. K. Means, J. B. Williams, W. H. Coleman, L. A. Humphries, R. W. Vaughan,

R. A. Davis, W. R. Harvell, H. J. Boltz, V. D. Skipper, T. H. Morris, B. H. Sheppard, G. E. Cameron, F. R. Hill, Jr., W. W. Perry, F. J. McCoy, A. W. Turner, H. T. Carley, S. J. Davies, N. E. Joyner, F. R. Hill, P. O. Lowrey.

**Locations.**—Question 18 was called: Who are located this year?

A. R. Hoffpauir made a statement and at his own request was located.

**Reference of I. T. Reames and B. T. Crews.**—J. D. Harper moved the reference of I. T. Reames, and R. H. Wynn moved the reference of B. T. Crews, to the Committee on Conference Relations for the superannuate relation, and they were thus referred.

**Place for Holding Next Session.**—Question 48 was called: Where shall the next session of the Conference be held?

First Church, Shreveport, was nominated by G. E. Cameron, seconded by T. H. Morris; Crowley was nominated by C. D. Atkinson, seconded by F. S. Parker; First Church, Baton Rouge, was nominated by W. W. Drake.

A rising vote gave Shreveport, First Church, 51; Crowley, 63; and Baton Rouge, First Church, 29. The vote was then taken on the highest two, and Shreveport received 57 and Crowley 84.

On motion of G. E. Cameron, the choice of Crowley was made unanimous.

A. M. Mayo presented the report of the Auditing Board as follows:

**REPORT OF AUDITING BOARD.**

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| Receipts from all sources | | | $31,925 00 |
| Foreign missions | $4,588 00 | | |
| Home missions | 5,962 00 | | |
| French Mission | 89 00 | | |
| For flooded preachers | 264 50 | | |
| Special for missions | 60 00 | $10,963 50 | |
| Bishops | $1,034 98 | | |
| Conference claimants | 4,445 00 | | |
| Printing Minutes | 304 00 | | |
| Delegates to General Conference | 413 00 | 6,196 98 | |
| Conference education | $3,207 00 | | |
| Education extension | 627 00 | 3,834 00 | |
| Church extension | $2,498 00 | | |
| American Bible Society | 459 00 | | |
| Children's Day | 265 00 | | |
| Superannuate Endowment Fund | 37 00 | | |
| Monroe District parsonage | 4 00 | | |
| Shreveport District parsonage | 28 00 | | |
| Orphanages | 7,640 00 | 10,931 00 | $31,925 48 |

A. M. MAYO,
J. G. SLOANE,
W. R. HARVELL.

**J. H. Montgomery's Application.**—Question 5 was called: Who are readmitted?

J. H. Montgomery was recommended by the District Conference of the Alexandria District, and the Committee of Admissions reported favorably. The question having been raised as to whether he had ever been in full connection

with the Conference, the matter of his eligibility was referred to the Committee on Admissions, and no action was taken.

John L. Sutton presented the report of the Commission on Prison Work, which was adopted as follows:

### REPORT OF COMMISSION ON PRISON WORK.*

In the study of this great question we feel that the prevention of crime and the reforming of the criminal should always be held as the purpose in view. There are in the United States in our State and Federal prisons about 100,000 prisoners. This does not include reformatories and other institutions. There are in the State of Louisiana in its State prison about 2,000 prisoners; in jails and lockups, on an average, about 3,000.

With few exceptions our parish jails and lockups are more fit for the barbarians of the Dark Ages than for present-day conditions, being very unsanitary and in every sense uninhabitable for a human being.

In 1908-11 there were received in our State prison: For murder and manslaughter, 503; for cutting and shooting, 321; for larceny and other crimes, 2,826. The number of homicides in this length of time amounts to 1,178. During this period there have been forty-four persons hanged.

At the last session of our Legislature the following laws passed both houses without any opposition: The parole law, the indeterminate sentence, and the suspended sentence. All these laws are being used to great advantage in several of our States as means of preventing crimes and curing the criminal. After the vote was passed the Governor of Louisiana stated that this State was not ready for such reforms, therefore he pocket vetoed the measures.

Your committee feel that in addition to these laws corporal punishment should be abolished, especially the use of the strap, and that provision be made for wives and children of men sent to the State prison, and that family desertion should be made a felony; also that more attention should be given the segregation of our prisoners.

It is to be hoped that the rebuilding of the Louisiana Training School, which recently burned at Monroe, will be accomplished. We urge that our ministers visit the prisons and lockups from time to time during the year, coöperating with the managers of the prisons and advising with the prisoners.

JOHN L. SUTTON,
W. W. DRAKE.

**Admission into Full Connection.**—Question 4 was called: Who are admitted into full connection?

After an address by the Bishop and satisfactory answers by the candidates to the Disciplinary questions, George P. White, Hugh William Jamieson, Robert Milton Brown, George Fox, Thomas Jefferson Embree, and James Hervey Hoffpauir were admitted into full connection. (Ollie Lee Tucker, who had passed the examination, was absent on account of the death of his mother.)

**Provision for Afternoon Session.**—On motion by J. M. Henry, it was ordered that when we adjourn, we adjourn to meet at 3 P.M.

**Announcements** of the Sunday services were made by the Committee on Public Worship as follows:

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*Owing to an oversight, a resolution which was to have been presented, making mention of the excellent work of Rev. H. S. Johns, Chaplain of the State Penitentiary, was not brought before the Conference.—SECRETARY.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.

9 A.M. Love feast, led by R. S. Isbell.
10:30 A.M. Presentation to Laura Parker Memorial Class by R. H. Wynn. Address by W. W. Holmes.
11:00 A.M. Sermon by Bishop Mouzon, followed by ordination of deacons.
3:30 P.M. Sermon by Dr. C. W. Carter, followed by ordination of elders.
7:30 P.M. Sunday School Anniversary. Address by Dr. H. M. Hamill.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

11:00 A.M. Sermon by Dr. Frank N. Parker.
7:30 P.M. Sermon by Dr. S. H. Werlein.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

10:00 A.M. Address by J. F. Foster.
11:00 A.M. Sermon by E. K. Means.
7:30 P.M. Sermon by W. W. Holmes.

WEST SIDE METHODIST CHURCH.

7:30 P.M. Sermon by W. W. Drake.

METHODIST PROTESTANT CHURCH.

11:00 A.M. Sermon by C. D. Atkinson.
7:30 P.M. Sermon by P. M. Brown.

**Adjournment.**—Other announcements were made, the doxology was sung, the benediction received, and the Conference adjourned according to rule.

## Afternoon Session.

**Conference convened,** pursuant to adjournment, at 3 P.M., Bishop Mouzon in the chair.

**Opening Service.**—The opening devotional service was conducted by Rev. J. M. Brown, and consisted of reading John xiv., singing Hymn 544 ("I love to tell the story"), and prayer.

**Approval of Minutes.**—The minutes of the morning session were read and approved.

**Dr. C. W. Carter** was called to the chair.

W. W. Drake presented the report of the Board of Missions.

On motion of P. M. Brown, the report was recommitted with instructions to adjust the assessments on the Shreveport and Alexandria Districts.

The report was resubmitted, and J. W. Moore addressed the Conference in connection with the report, which was adopted as follows:

### REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MISSIONS.

Your Board of Missions has faithfully and earnestly studied the problems of mission work that challenge our zeal and loyalty, and we realize that this is a time of opportunity and even of crisis in the development of our work abroad, when the providential movements in current world history make it imperative to advance or lose the ground already gained; when many nations are passing through revolutionary conditions, out of which, if the Christian Church does not get a mighty hold upon them at once by the power of the gospel of Christ, they will come into a condition immensely harder to reach and control.

Conditions in our own country increasingly demand the thoughtful and prayerful missionary effort of the Church in adequately reaching the masses in our rapidly growing cities and factory and mining centers, the incoming multitudes of unevangelized aliens among us, and in meeting the great social and industrial problems of the time, as was pointed out in the facts collected by the coöperating boards for the observance of Home Mission Week. In this connection we would recommend that wherever, for any reason, the program for this week was not carried out our pastors make use of the valuable material furnished for its observance at some time in the near future. Our people ought to be informed on these vital issues. Our own State offers a great mission field with its own special problems. Its needs demand a great forward movement in the development of new territory.

We rejoice in the report brought to us by Rev. J. W. Gilbert, of the Colored Methodist Episcopal Church, of the preparation being made to open a mission in Africa, and we commend this new venture to the prayer and sympathy of our people.

It is gratifying to learn that the cost of administering the funds of our General Board is the incredibly small ratio of 6¼ per cent.

We are thankful to record the success achieved in much of our Conference mission work, and notably the healthy expansion of our work among the French. It is humiliating to note that, in response to the appeal of this Board at our last session that we should raise as much as seventy-five cents *per capita* for home and foreign missions combined, reports show that less than half that amount has been raised. Surely our people need a missionary awakening.

Your Board has requested the General Board to arrange for a series of Missionary Institutes, covering the Conference, in the early part of the coming year. We urge the earnest coöperation of presiding elders, pastors, and lay leaders in this movement to stir the missionary conscience by the medium of increased intelligence.

In the same connection we would urge the general circulation of the *Missionary Voice* as a medium of instruction indispensable to a healthy development of our missionary work.

We heartily approve the proposition of the General Board in coöperation with the Laymen's Movement to hold a great Missionary Conference for our entire Church at the Southern Assembly Grounds, near Waynesville, N. C., in June, 1913. We remember with gratitude the inspiration that came to the Church from the great Missionary Conference in New Orleans in 1901, and we trust a greater advance may result from the coming Conference. In order that we may get the greatest benefit from it, we recommend that, in coöperation with the pastors, the following men, lay leaders in their charges, be appointed committees on delegation.* We commend to all our pastors and lay leaders the Midwinter Institute to be held at Nashville December 27 to January 6, and especially urge all our presiding elders to attend it and come in touch with the plans of missionary leaders throughout the Church.

We would urge all our pastors and presiding elders to insist upon the adoption of systematic plans for raising our missionary obligations, and we call attention specifically to the "Financial Method for Methodists," which has been prepared by the connectional boards, and has, wherever tried, produced excellent results.

We are glad to hear of the excellent and growing work of our woman's missionary societies, and recommend that our pastors coöperate in the organization of these societies in every charge.

We have carefully considered the evangelistic opportunities and needs of our territory, and in order to meet them we recommend the reappointment of Rev. A. W. Turner as Conference Evangelist and the appointment in addition of Rev. L. N. Hoffpauir

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*The names were not given in the report, but left to be filled in later by the Board.—SECRETARY.

to a similar position. We have appointed an Evangelistic Committee, consisting of Revs. W. H. Coleman, J. W. Moore, and W. Winans Drake, to coöperate with these evangelists in arranging an evangelistic campaign for the Conferences. We urge the sympathetic coöperation of all our pastors with the committee and the evangelists in such a comprehensive campaign.

We recommend the appointment of Rev. W. Winans Drake as Conference Missionary Secretary, and we have requested the Conference Secretary to appoint at once District Secretaries in each district to carry out the plans of the Board in each district.

The following amounts have been received from the Auditing Board:

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| Foreign missions | $ 4,588 00 |
| Home and Conference missions | 5,962 00 |
| French Mission special | 89 00 |
| Special undirected | 30 00 |
| Total | $10,669 00 |

Of the item "Home and Conference missions," $1,359 belongs to the General Board as its *pro rata*. The following appropriations have been made to our Conference work. These appropriations include several amounts for distinctly French Mission work. In making these appropriations it has been necessary for us to go beyond the meager funds in our hands, and in doing so we have instructed the Conference Missionary Secretary to raise a special of $500 for French Mission work.

APPROPRIATIONS.

*Alexandria District.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Natchitoches | $500 00 |
| Simpson and Evergreen | 100 00 |
| Harrisonburg | 75 00 |
| Evangeline | 200 00 |
| | $875 00 |

*Baton Rouge District.*

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|---|---|
| Plaquemine and New Roads | $200 00 |
| Mt. Hermon | 80 00 |
| Denham Springs | 70 00 |
| Tickfaw | 100 00 |
| Hammond | 100 00 |
| | $550 00 |

*Lafayette District.*

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|---|---|
| Houma Mission | $ 500 00 |
| Vermilion | 50 00 |
| Jennings | 250 00 |
| Sulphur | 50 00 |
| St. Martinville | 300 00 |
| Bell City | 100 00 |
| | $1,250 00 |

*Monroe District.*

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|---|---|
| Tallulah | $250 00 |
| Farmerville | 75 00 |
| | $325 00 |

*New Orleans District.*

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| Parker Memorial | $100 00 |
| Felicity | 200 00 |
| Epworth | 300 00 |
| St. Tammany | 150 00 |
| City Mission | 200 00 |
| | $950 00 |

*Ruston District.*

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|---|---|
| Haynesville Mission | $175 00 |
| Simsboro | 100 00 |
| Ashland | 200 00 |
| | $475 00 |

*Shreveport District.*

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|---|---|
| Oil City | $100 00 |
| Anacoco | 50 00 |
| Shreveport City Mission | 500 00 |
| | $650 00 |

The apportionment of assessments to the districts for next year is as follows:

| | Foreign Missions. | Home and Conference Missions. |
|---|---|---|
| Alexandria District | $1,280 | $ 1,748 |
| Baton Rouge District | 1,434 | 1,959 |
| Lafayette District | 1,252 | 1,708 |
| Monroe District | 1,248 | 1,706 |
| New Orleans District | 1,096 | 1,496 |
| Ruston District | 1,552 | 2,120 |
| Shreveport District | 1,438 | 1,963 |
| | $9,300 | $12,700 |

W. WINANS DRAKE, *Conference Missionary Secretary.*

TREASURER'S REPORT, BOARD OF MISSIONS.

*Receipts.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Balance December 9, 1911 | $1,333 04 | |
| Received from Auditing Board | 9,945 35 | |
| Received from W. W. Drake, account of Lafayette District | 100 00 | |
| From J. D. Hamilton, amount paid by error | 68 20 | |
| From interest on deposit, 1911 | 2 07 | |
| For French Mission | 102 25 | |
| For foreign missions | 359 27 | |
| For domestic missions | 410 57 | |
| For flood sufferers | 1,456 10 | |
| For Evangelistic Fund | 1,396 10 | |
| Due Metropolitan Bank | 600 00 | $15,772 95 |

*Disbursements.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Total amount paid beneficiaries | $5,210 00 | |
| Forwarded to J. D. Hamilton for foreign missions | 5,267 62 | |
| Forwarded to J. D. Hamilton for home missions | 536 50 | |
| Amount refunded A. M. Mayo, error | 124 00 | |
| Amount to Sunday School Board | 399 98 | |
| Paid A. W. Turner | 1,898 80 | |
| Paid preachers in flooded district | 968 22 | |
| Paid A. M. Mayo, account of domestic missions | 410 57 | |
| Paid A. M. Mayo, account of foreign missions | 359 27 | |
| Paid Breithaupt and Wynn, French Mission | 102 25 | |
| Expense account for year | 44 20 | |
| Discount on checks, exchange | 14 91 | |
| Cash balance, Metropolitan Bank | 436 63 | $15,772 95 |

Supplement:

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|---|---|---|
| Received for flood sufferers | $ 1 00 | |
| Received for Evangelistic Fund | 30 00 | |
| Received for Evangelistic Fund | 7 00 | |
| Received from Babington Fund | 80 00 | |
| Cash balance | 436 63 | |
| | $554 63 | |

Disbursed:

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|---|---|---|
| Evangelistic Fund | 214 00 | |
| | $340 63 | |

S. H. MEYER, *Treasurer.*

In connection with the report of the Conference Board, the following report of Mrs. J. J. Holmes, Treasurer of the Conference Woman's Missionary Society, was submitted and ordered to record:

## REPORT OF THE WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF THE LOUISIANA CONFERENCE.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

| | Dues. | Pledges. | Specials. | Totals. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Fourth quarter, 1911 | $254 69 | $ 799 36 | $ 496 04 | $1,550 09 |
| First quarter, 1912 | 232 62 | 207 44 | 629 55 | 1,069 61 |
| Second quarter, 1912 | 182 80 | 210 62 | 482 53 | 875 95 |
| Third quarter, 1912 | 160 55 | 263 21 | 309 56 | 733 32 |
| | $830 66 | $1,480 63 | $1,917 68 | $4,228 97 |

HOME DEPARTMENT.

| | Dues, Etc. | Local Work. |
|---|---|---|
| Fourth quarter, 1911 | $ 967 95 | $ 2,579 45 |
| First quarter, 1912 | 595 71 | 3,024 45 |
| Second quarter, 1912 | 531 63 | 4,116 63 |
| Third quarter, 1912 | 433 07 | 2,557 25 |
| | $2,528 36 | $12,277 78 |
| Total home | | $14,806 14 |
| Total foreign | | 4,228 97 |
| Grand total | | $19,035 11 |

MRS. J. J. HOLMES, *Treasurer.*

Rev. J. W. Moore presented the report of the Committee on Temperance, which was adopted as follows:

## REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON TEMPERANCE.

In the twentieth century civilization there is no place for the licensed saloon. It is the cause of untold suffering, the instigator of innumerable crimes, the author of anarchy, and the most deadly enemy of the Church. Christ's kingdom can never come in human society except over the ruins of the legalized liquor traffic.

The barroom is opened in defiance of the dictates of a refined conscience and the laws of God, and in turn has no respect for the laws of either God or men. The Gay-Shattuck law is being constantly violated in many sections of our State, and is another proof of the utter futility of regulation. Contrary to its provisions, women are in some places allowed in the saloons, minors can procure alcohol almost at will, the Sabbath closing is not observed, the saloons refuse to close on election day, and negroes and whites are served liquors under the same roof. There is no law, human or divine, that stands in the way of its gain, that this traffic obeys or respects.

During the last four years 2,826 prisoners have been received into our State prison, and of this number 503 were for murder and manslaughter and 321 for cutting or shooting. Liquor was at the bottom of most of these assaults and murders. How long, O Lord, how long shall our people reap this harvest of tears and of blood?

We submit for your adoption the following resolutions:

1. That we are unalterably opposed to the liquor traffic, and that we will never cease our efforts as long as there is a brewery to darken the heavens with its foul smoke or an open saloon to destroy our young manhood.

2. We are heartily in favor of the amended Kenyon bill that guarantees to the States home rule and enables the State to execute its own laws and to protect its own citizens.

3. We are heartily in favor of the principles of the Anti-Saloon League, and rejoice in the great work that it has accomplished in the United States. We pledge to it locally our hearty coöperation whenever its reorganization shall be completed by a State convention. We request whoever may have the authority to issue this call and have such a convention at the earliest practicable moment. The Methodist forces of the State are eager for the battle and call upon the League, when properly and legally organized, to lead us to the field of conflict.

4. We stand for prohibition, and will never cease the fight until our State and nation are redeemed from the dominion of the rum power.

5. We are utterly opposed to any scheme of segregation whereby the will of a small number may override the wishes of an entire parish, and we commend the efforts of our lawmakers who defeated the nefarious scheme.

6. *Resolved*, That we request our Congressmen and Senators to vote for the Shepard-Kenyon bill now pending. J. W. MOORE, *Chairman.*

John F. Foster presented the report of the Joint Board of Finance, which was adopted as follows:

## REPORT OF THE JOINT BOARD OF FINANCE.

Your Board met in regular session, and beg leave to submit the following report:

We noted with sadness the absence of our brother, Dr. S. S. Keener.

The following resolution was presented and unanimously adopted by a rising vote:

Whereas God in his wise providence has taken from our midst Dr. Samuel S. Keener, a brother beloved and honored among us; and whereas we as a Board do miss from our counsels his faithful and valued wisdom and service; therefore be it

*Resolved*, That we bow in humble submission to Almighty God, and do hereby express our appreciation of our brother, beloved for his kindly spirit, his fearless discharge of duty, his faithful life and walk, and his wisdom and counsel.

*Resolved, further*, That a copy of these resolutions be spread on the minutes of our Board, a copy be sent to the wife of our brother, and a note of the adoption thereof be made in our report to the Annual Conference.

JOHN F. FOSTER,
W. S. HOLMES,
L. N. HOFFPAUIR.

By reason of the death of Dr. Keener, the election of a new President was made necessary. S. B. McCutchen nominated John F. Foster, who was duly elected. A. G. Shankle was nominated to fill the vacancy on the Board, and was elected Secretary.

### FINANCIAL REPORT.

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|---|---|---|
| Received from pastoral charges | $4,445 00 | |
| Received from Legal Conference | 752 80 | |
| Received from Superannuate General Fund | 157 50 | |
| Received from Publishing House | 220 00 | |
| Received from Colvin Fund | 12 00 | $5,587 30 |
| *Distributed as follows—viz.:* | | |
| Rev. R. J. Harp | $ 250 00 | |
| Rev. C. W. Carter | 225 00 | |
| Rev. R. S. Isbell | 225 00 | |
| Rev. J. F. Wynn | 225 00 | |
| Rev. F. G. Hocutt | 200 00 | |
| Rev. M. G. Jenkins | 175 00 | |
| Rev. J. H. Brown | 175 00 | |

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| Rev. J. L. P. Sheppard | $ 225 00 | |
| Rev. H. Armstrong | 190 00 | |
| Rev. J. F. Patterson | 200 00 | |
| Rev. J. A. Parker | 225 00 | |
| Rev. J. R. Roy | 75 00 | |
| Rev. A. J. Coburn | 100 00 | |
| Rev. T. S. Randle | 200 00 | |
| Mrs. J. B. Cassety | 175 00 | |
| Mrs. T. B. White | 100 00 | |
| Mrs. J. D. Adams | 150 00 | |
| Mrs. P. M. Goodwyn | 185 00 | |
| Mrs. J. L. Borden | 125 00 | |
| Mrs. W. Weimer | 100 00 | |
| Mrs. J. W. Medlock | 125 00 | |
| Mrs. G. M. Liverman | 100 00 | |
| Mrs. J. E. Bradley | 100 00 | |
| Mrs. G. E. Green | 150 00 | |
| Mrs. Jesse Fulton | 110 00 | |
| Mrs. E. W. Yancey | 100 00 | |
| Mrs. E. B. Foust | 100 00 | |
| Mrs. E. E. Riggs | 150 00 | |
| Mrs. C. T. Munholland | 100 00 | |
| Mrs. R. C. Grace | 125 00 | |
| Mrs. J. M. Franklin | 75 00 | |
| Mrs. M. C. Manley | 150 00 | |
| Mrs. S. H. Whatley | 150 00 | |
| Mrs. Wilson Moore | 150 00 | |
| | $5,210 00 | |
| Carried to Sinking Fund | 377 30 | $5,587 30 |

*Receipts and Disbursements.*

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|---|---|---|
| Received for Conference claimants | $5,587 30 | |
| Received for bishops | 1,034 98 | |
| Received for Minutes | 304 00 | |
| Received for delegates to General Conference | 413 00 | |
| | $7,339 28 | |
| Paid Conference claimants | $5,210 00 | |
| Sinking Fund | 377 30 | |
| Bishops | 1,034 98 | |
| Minutes | 304 00 | |
| Expenses of delegates to General Conference | 413 00 | |
| | $7,339 28 | |

*Sinking Fund Account.*

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|---|---|---|
| Balance on hand, 1911 | | $640 21 |
| Paid Rev. T. S. Randle | $75 00 | |
| Paid Rev. A. J. Coburn | 75 00 | |
| Paid Mrs. Wilson Moore | 75 00 | |

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| Error in check | $ 1 00 | |
| Error in check to Mrs. Stayton | 25 00 | $251 00 |
| | | $389 21 |
| Apportioned 1912 | | 377 30 |
| Total in Sinking Fund | | $766 51 |

*Apportionment for 1913.*

| District. | Bishops. | Conference Claimants. | Minutes. | Expenses Delegates General Conference. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Alexandria | $ 275 00 | $ 963 00 | $ 55 00 | $ 75 00 |
| Baton Rouge | 308 00 | 1,080 00 | 61 00 | 85 00 |
| Lafayette | 269 00 | 942 00 | 54 00 | 75 00 |
| Monroe | 268 00 | 940 00 | 54 00 | 75 00 |
| New Orleans | 235 00 | 825 00 | 47 00 | 70 00 |
| Ruston | 334 00 | 1,168 00 | 67 00 | 92 00 |
| Shreveport | 309 00 | 1,082 00 | 62 00 | 85 00 |
| | $1,998 00 | $7,000 00 | $400 00 | $557 00 |

JOHN F. FOSTER, *President.*

**Substitutions on Boards.**—J. W. Moore was nominated for membership on the Board of Missions in place of N. E. Joyner, and G. E. Cameron in place of R. H. Wynn. The nominations were confirmed.

On motion, J. W. Lee was placed on the Committee on Admissions in place of H. O. White.

G. E. Cameron was excused from membership on the Sunday School Board, and F. R. Hill, Jr., was nominated to fill the vacancy. The nomination was confirmed.

**Statistics.**—The report of the Statistical Secretary was received, answering Questions 23 to 46 as follows (for statistical tables, see Appendix, pages 74 ff.):

Question 23: What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

Answer: Local preachers, 57 (increase, 4); members, 34,198 (increase, 395).

Question 24: How many infants have been baptized during the year?

Answer: 1,156 (increase, 241).

Question 25: How many adults have been baptized during the year?

Answer: 979 (increase, 140).

Question 26: What is the number of Epworth Leagues?

Answer: Senior, 52 (increase, 5); Junior, 24 (increase, 6).

Question 27: What is the number of Epworth League members?

Answer: Senior members, 1,644 (increase, 26); Junior members, 594 (increase, 43). Total League members, 2,202 (increase, 69).

Question 28: What is the number of Sunday schools?

Answer: 309, the same as last year.

Question 29: What is the number of Sunday school officers and teachers?

Answer: 2,363 (increase, 84).

Question 30: What is the number of Sunday school scholars enrolled during the Conference year?

Answer: 25,733 (increase, 2,302).

Question 31: What was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers?

Answer: $8,000.

Question 32: What was collected on the foregoing account, and how was it applied?

Answer: $4,563 (decrease, $636). Apportioned to claimants by Joint Board of Finance.

Question 33: What has been contributed for missions?

Answer: Foreign missions, $4,639 (decrease, $1,219); home and Conference missions, $5,978 (increase, $53).

Question 34: What has been contributed for Church extension?

Answer: $2,545 (decrease, $305).

Question 35: What has been contributed for the American Bible Society?

Answer: $446 (increase, $2).

Question 36: What has been contributed for the support of the presiding elders and preachers in charge?

Answer: Presiding elders, $14,750 (increase, $230); preachers in charge, $100,772 (increase, $2,594).

Question 37: What has been contributed for the support of bishops?

Answer: $1,044 (decrease, $123).

Question 38: What is the number of societies and houses of worship owned by them?

Answer: Societies, 397; houses of worship, 412.

Question 39: What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon?

Answer: Value, $1,080,030 (increase, $53,250); indebtedness, $49,562 (decrease, $298).

Question 40: What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them?

Answer: Pastoral charges, 141 (increase, 3); parsonages, 117 (decrease, 1).

Question 41: What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon?

Answer: $248,600 (increase, $290); indebtedness, $22,590 (increase, $1,114).

Question 42: What is the number of districts and of district parsonages?

Answer: Districts, 7; district parsonages, 5.

Question 43: What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the indebtedness thereon?

Answer: Value, $22,000; indebtedness, $7,700.

Question 44: What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage?

Answer: Churches damaged, 7; amount of damage, $1,529.

Question 45: What are the insurance statistics?

Answer: Insurance carried, $381,350 (decrease, $23,600); losses sustained, $1,529; premiums paid, $2,519; loss collected, $224.

Question 46: What are the educational statistics?

Answer: Paid for Conference education, $3,207 (increase, $366); for education extension, $784 (increase, $167). Centenary College, Shreveport—Value, $135,000; pupils, 110; professors, 5. Mansfield Female College, Mansfield—Value, $55,000; indebtedness, $25,000; professors, 9; pupils, 125.

John Sholars presented the report of the Conference Epworth League Board, which was adopted as follows:

## REPORT OF THE EPWORTH LEAGUE BOARD.

Reports from the Chapters over the State indicate a healthy growth in League work. The seed sown in the past years is beginning to bring forth fruit, and it is with a note of rejoicing that we bring before the Conference the fact of deepened interest, more intelligent coöperation, and steady growth and development in the spiritual life of the young people of the Church.

Impressed with the great need of definite Church work with boys, we recommend that in every pastoral charge a competent man be made Superintendent of the Boys' League.

We would urge the organization of Junior Leagues wherever practicable. Miss Ada Trawick, of Nashville, has recently been elected to the office of Junior League Secretary, and we believe a new impetus will be given to the Junior work through her labor.

The gifts of the Leagues for missionary specials last year amounted to $25,841.76, a part of which amount enabled the Board of Missions to undertake the building of Candler College, Havana. The Leagues are again requested to concentrate their specials on the Cuba Mission.

The week preceding Easter has been set aside for a Week of Prayer. As a feature of the World-Wide Young Methodist Movement it has been named Fellowship Week, with a suggestion of the largest kinship of Methodists throughout the world. Let us join in this united prayer for our Father's guidance and blessing and for the power that the Holy Spirit alone can give.

Advance has been made along the lines of mission study. Classes are being formed in the Chapters, indicating a desire to know more of conditions, so that more intelligent service can be rendered.

We recommend the study of our textbook, "Introducing Men to Christ;" also that the *Era* have a definite place in the Study Circles. In its new magazine form it is vastly more attractive, and the articles published monthly cannot fail to be of benefit to every one who will read them carefully. We recommend to the Leaguers "The Story of the Old Testament," by Prof. Frank Seay, and "The Story of the New Testament," by Prof. Thomas Carter.

The first Sunday in May will be known as Epworth League Day, and the Chapters are urged to make this a red-letter day in the calendar. The offerings taken on this day will be divided between the General Office and the Conference Board for League extension.

We wish to call attention to the organization of the Tri-State Epworth League Assembly, proposed by representatives of the Epworth League from Mississippi, Alabama, and Louisiana. The plan of organization has been carefully examined by this Board, and is approved. We recommend the appointment of C. D. Atkinson and J. W. Booth as commissioners from this Board.

C. D. ATKINSON, *Chairman;*
A. F. VAUGHAN, *Secretary.*

The report of the Sunday School Board was presented by H. N. Brown, and adopted as follows:

### REPORT OF THE SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD.

We note with gratification that the Sunday school work is enjoying a healthy growth throughout the connection. Two hundred and ninety-six schools, 333 teachers and officers, and 35,000 scholars is the increase noted in the last general report.

We note a marked increase in the circulation of our periodical literature. The Graded Lessons are largely taking the place of the old-style lessons in many of our schools, and we hail this as an indication of better methods generally, and recommend that they be used in all our schools.

We regret that the use of the birthday offerings for our Church extension loan fund has not been more general, and we recommend their introduction in all our schools.

The Wesley Adult Bible Class should be in every school, and where adult classes already exist they should be enrolled at once with our office in Nashville.

We find that Children's Day has not been very extensively observed, and for that reason we are in debt for part of Brother Lowrey's salary. We urge all our pastors to see that Children's Day is observed in their Sunday schools and that the collections be forwarded at once to our Treasurer.

We request the appointment of Rev. P. O. Lowrey as Field Secretary.

We recommend J. T. Petty and F. R. Hill, Jr. (clerical), to fill the vacancies on the Board caused by the removal of J. W. Trischman and the resignation of G. E. Cameron.

Respectfully submitted.

H. N. BROWN, *Chairman;*
A. J. TOWNSLEY, *Secretary.*

The report of the Committee on Church Publications was presented by John Sholars, and adopted as follows:

### REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CHURCH PUBLICATIONS.

Your Committee on Church Publications beg leave to submit the following report:

We commend to our pastors and people the *New Orleans Christian Advocate* as worthy of their hearty support. We solicit the coöperation of all in order that the subscription may reach at least ten thousand, as that number is necessary if the *Advocate* is ever to meet the demands upon it as a great paper. The editor, Rev. R. A. Meek, D.D., is rendering valuable services to the Church through the *Advocate*, and we felicitate ourselves upon his ability.

The Publishing Committee of the *Advocate* call attention in their report to a misunderstanding as to the rights of the *Advocate* in the matter of the full use of the Depository building at 512 Camp Street, New Orleans, for the publication of the said *Advocate*. After an examination of the charter of the board of trustees of the Depository, your committee recommend that the differences between the board of trustees of the Depository and the Publishing Committee be submitted to arbitrators for adjustment. The report of the Publishing Committee is submitted herewith, marked "Exhibit A."

We recommend the appointment of Rev. J. M. Henry, Rev. W. W. Drake, and Rev. Briscoe Carter as members of the Publishing Committee of this Conference for the ensuing year.

Our connectional organ, the *Christian Advocate* (of Nashville), the *Epworth Era*, the *Methodist Quarterly Review*, and the *Missionary Voice* continue to maintain their high standard of excellence. The *Epworth Era* is now issued monthly in magazine form. We desire to call special attention to it as a periodical of unusual merit, deserving a large circulation. We also desire to direct attention to the Sunday school

literature being issued by our Church. We rejoice that it continues in a steady increase of circulation and profit to the Church.

The report of the board of trustees of the New Orleans Depository is herewith submitted, marked "Exhibit B."

The report of the Publishing Agents of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, is herewith submitted, marked "Exhibit C."

We submit with our indorsement the appeal, marked "Exhibit D," of the New Orleans Preachers' Meeting, requesting the Publishing Agents to establish a book depository in New Orleans, and offer the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That the Louisiana Annual Conference respectfully petition the Publishing Agents of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, to establish in New Orleans, as soon as in their judgment it may seem expedient, a book depository suited to such purposes as those subserved by the houses in Nashville, Dallas, and Richmond.

G. E. CAMERON, *President;*
JOHN SHOLARS, *Secretary.*

(For exhibits referred to as A, B, C, D, see Appendix, pages 59-62.)

The report of the Orphanage Board was presented by C. C. Wier, and adopted as follows:

## REPORT OF ORPHANAGE BOARD.

We have considered the report of the Board of Directors of the Louisiana Methodist Orphanage. We are gratified at the excellent record made by this institution.

We call attention to the following recommendations of said report, and ask that they be adopted and ratified by this Conference.

We recommend the election by this Conference of the following brethren to fill the three vacancies on the board of directors—to wit: Messrs. S. D. Pearce, J. H. Mays, Jr., and Rev. R. W. Vaughan.

We recommend the election of Rev. P. H. Fontaine as General Superintendent of the Home to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Rev. R. W. Vaughan.

We further recommend that the assessment of $10,000 be levied *pro rata* on all the charges in this Conference as follows:

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|---|---|
| Alexandria District | $1,373 00 |
| Baton Rouge District | 1,542 00 |
| Lafayette District | 1,346 00 |
| Monroe District | 1,343 00 |
| New Orleans District | 1,178 00 |
| Ruston District | 1,669 00 |
| Shreveport District | 1,549 00 |

We append hereto the report of the board of directors, and request that same be made a part of the minutes of our Conference.

Respectfully submitted.

C. C. WIER, *President;*
JOHN SHOLARS, *Secretary.*

(For report of directors of Orphanage, see Appendix, page 63.)

The report of the Bible Society Board was presented by Martin Hebert, and adopted as follows:

## REPORT OF THE BIBLE SOCIETY BOARD.

The attention of this Conference is called to the continued and expanding work of the American Bible Society. During the year 1911 more than three and a half million volumes of the Scriptures were issued by the Society, bringing the grand total during the ninety-five years of its existence to 94,219,105 volumes. In China more than a

million copies of God's Word have been distributed, and in the Philippines over sixty thousand.

The American Bible Society employs forty-two persons to distribute the Scriptures among the Mexicans, Indians, Germans, Bohemians, Scandinavians, Italians, and French in the States of Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, and Louisiana. It is using diligent efforts to discover in the State of Louisiana communities where the Bible is not freely circulated. In some sections of our State there are vast numbers of people who are utterly ignorant of the Word of God. The colporteurs are instructed to sell the Scriptures to such persons at the actual cost of printing; and when persons are too poor to purchase, the Bible Agent presents a copy without charge.

Thus we see that the American Bible Society is giving most active coöperation to all evangelical Churches in building up the kingdom of God.

No cause to which money is devoted can produce larger returns than the circulation of the Scriptures.

Benevolently disposed Christians have created an endowment of $2,305,033, which, while it yields an annual revenue of about $125,000, falls short of the actual annual expenditure to the amount of about $700,000. To meet this great need contributions are invited from all Christian Churches.

This Conference last year assumed an assessment of $800. Of this amount, $459 was paid, leaving a deficit of $341. It is hardly necessary to urge the brethren concerning the importance of meeting the amount assessed at this Conference, but we would urge that you bring the matter before your people and acquaint them with the great work that the American Bible Society is doing. We recommend that the assessment remain as it was last year—namely, $800.

We recommend also that C. V. Breithaupt be appointed on this Board in the place of I. T. Reames.

S. H. WERLEIN, *Chairman;*
M. HEBERT, *Secretary.*

**Adjournment.**—A motion to adjourn prevailed, and the Conference adjourned after singing and receiving the benediction.

## FIFTH DAY.

**Sunday Services.**—No session of the Conference was held.

The morning service at the Methodist church was conducted by the Bishop, who then ordained the deacons. Dr. C. W. Carter preached in the afternoon. The sermon was followed by the ordination of elders.

The pulpits of a number of the city churches were filled by members of the Conference both morning and evening, and the Sunday School Anniversary was addressed by Dr. H. M. Hamill Sunday evening.

## SIXTH DAY.

**Convening.**—Conference convened, according to rule, at 9 A.M. Monday, December 16, Bishop Mouzon in the chair.

**Opening Service.**—The opening service consisted of singing Hymn 334, "My faith looks up to Thee"; prayer, led by K. W. Dodson; singing Hymn 19, "Come, thou Fount of every blessing"; and reading from Luke ix.

**Approval of Minutes.**—The minutes of the session of Saturday afternoon were read and approved.

**Ordination of Traveling Deacons.**—Question 11 was called: What traveling preachers are ordained deacons?

The Bishop certified to the ordination by himself, following the Sunday morning service, of Hugh William Jamieson, Robert Milton Brown, George Fox, Thomas Jefferson Embree, Ollie Lee Tucker, and James Hervey Hoffpauir. At the same time D. A. Morris, a deacon from the Methodist Episcopal Church, took the vows without reimposition of hands. (See certificate of ordination, Appendix, page 63.)

**Local Deacons.**—Question 13 was called: What local preachers are ordained deacons?

Answer: None.

**Ordination of Traveling Elders.**—Question 15 was called: What traveling preachers are ordained elders?

The Bishop certified to the ordination by himself at the service Sunday afternoon of Robert Stanton Walton, Timothy Victor Peters, Gustavus Adam Morgan, Francis Roland Power, John Garrison Snelling, Henry Thomas Young, Robert Hosea Bamburg, Lindsey Ezell Crooks, Thomas Jefferson Holladay, John Lugood Sutton, and John Wesley Faulk. At the same time W. H. Long, a minister from the Baptist Church, took the vows without the reimposition of hands.

**Local Elders.**—Question 17 was called: What local preachers are ordained elders?

Answer: None.

**Admission into Full Connection.**—Question 4 was called: Who are admitted into full connection?

Ollie Lee Tucker, who was absent Saturday, gave satisfactory answers to the disciplinary questions, and was admitted into full connection.

**Reference of R. A. Davis.**—R. A. Davis was, on motion of P. M. Brown, referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the superannuate relation.

**The Committee on Conference Relations** was permitted to withdraw.

W. W. Drake presented a supplemental report from the Board of Missions, which was adopted as follows:

**SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MISSIONS.**

We respectfully request the reappointment of R. H. Harper as preacher in charge at Natchitoches.

W. W. DRAKE, *Secretary.*

**Vacancy on Sunday School Board Filled.**—J. G. Ray was nominated for the Sunday School Board in place of N. R. Grigsby. The nomination was confirmed.

**Transfer.**—Question 6 was called: Who are received by transfer from other Conferences?

The Bishop announced the transfer of W. E. Thomas, an elder in the North Texas Conference.

**Character.**—Question 22 was called: Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?

The names of W. E. Akin, G. D. Purcell, S. S. Bogan, W. L. Hunter, J. W. Lee, A. F. Vaughan, W. W. Holmes, J. M. Alford, L. N. Hoffpauir, C. F. Staples, P. H. Fontaine, W. F. Henderson, T. J. Norsworthy, and W. E. Thomas were called and their characters passed.

**Locations.**—Question 18 was called: Who are located this year?

T. J. Norsworthy made a statement to the effect that he purposed to engage in evangelistic work and requested a location. He was accordingly located at his own request.

A telegram was received from T. M. Wafer requesting a location, and he was located at his own request.

J. Ivy Hoffpauir presented the report of the Board of Church Extension, which was adopted as follows:

## REPORT OF THE BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION.

Your Board of Church Extension presents this its annual report with the firm conviction that the cause of Church extension committed in part to its care is second to none of our great Church enterprises.

That it is one form, and a very efficient form, of missionary work, is admitted by all who have looked carefully into the subject. With confidence, therefore, we come before you and ask your patient and prayerful attention to this report.

We had applications for aid in sums about four times as large as the amount we had to appropriate.

We gave these applications careful and painstaking consideration, and have appropriated what little we had in hand where we honestly believe it will just at this time do the most good.

We would call your attention to some features of Church extension work as set forth in the letter of the Corresponding Secretary of the General Board of Church Extension to your Conference Board.

We call special attention to the provision made by the last General Conference for the establishment or creation of a Conference Board Loan Fund.

Paragraph 396, Article X., Discipline of 1910, gives the Conference Boards this authority and reads thus:

> The Conference Board shall have authority to loan any part of its funds when the end desired can be accomplished as well by a loan as by a donation, and the amount loaned shall become a part of the Conference Board Loan Fund, to be administered by the General Office on the same terms and conditions as the loan funds of the General Board are administered; provided, that the Conference Boards shall have the right of appropriation.

Your Board, believing it would be greatly to the interest of the cause of Church extension in the bounds of our Conference to establish and begin such a loan fund, adopted at its regular session, December 14, 1912, the following resolutions:

*Be it resolved*, That there is hereby created a separate fund to be known as the Louisiana Conference Board Loan Fund, and to be administered by this Board for like purposes and upon like terms and under like rules and regulations as the General Board of Church Extension of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, but only within the bounds of the Louisiana Conference; the said fund to be composed as follows:

First, of all funds now held by this Board not already donated, except the expense fund.

Secondly, of not less than thirty per cent of all sums hereafter received by this Board

from Conference collections, which shall be annually appropriated and set apart accordingly.

Thirdly, of all donations to this Board for loan purposes and all donations to this Board without specific designation of use to be made thereof.

*Be it further resolved*, That the Secretary and Treasurer of this Board be required to keep separate accounts of all moneys belonging to this fund and the disposition thereof, and to make separate reports thereof to this Board at each Annual Conference and at such other times as they may be called for.

We urge upon our pastors and congregations the advisability of asking for loans instead of donations wherever it is practicable, thereby helping to establish a Conference Board Loan Fund which will go on perpetually in the glorious work of building churches.

We would also call attention to the Sunday School Loan Fund and the birthday jars furnished free to Sunday schools by the General Board to assist in taking this collection.

We recommend this as affording a fine opportunity for talking and teaching Church extension in the Sunday schools.

Literature of a very high grade and superior quality—uplifting, educating, stimulating—is furnished for free distribution by the General Board, and we do respectfully insist that our pastors avail themselves of this means of helping forward our great work.

Believing that it would result beneficially to our cause to have representatives from the Louisiana Conference Board meet with the General Board in Dallas in May, 1913, we have elected Revs. J. D. Harper and J. I. Hoffpauir as such representatives.

Rev. H. W. May was elected Treasurer of our Board in place of Dr. F. N. Parker.

The following brethren were elected to present the cause of Church extension at our several District Conferences:

For the Alexandria District, H. W. May; for the Baton Rouge District, Judge R. R. Reid; for the Lafayette District, J. I. Hoffpauir; for the Monroe District, P. H. Fontaine; for the Ruston District, J. B. Williams; for the New Orleans District, J. D. Harper; for the Shreveport District, W. A. McKennon.

### COLLECTIONS AND APPROPRIATIONS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Total amount collected | | $2,473 00 |
| Balance from 1911 | | 68 03 |
| | | $2,541 03 |
| *Appropriated as follows:* | | |
| To General Board | $1,236 50 | |
| To Columbia | $300 00 | |
| To Athens | 200 00 | |
| To McDonoughville parsonage | 150 00 | |
| To Ashland | 150 00 | |
| To Mermentau | 150 00 | |
| To Shougalou | 150 00 | |
| To Carroll Creek | 75 00 | |
| To Natchitoches (loan) | 100 00— 1,275 00 | |
| Total appropriations | $2,511 50 | |
| Balance on hand | 29 53— | $2,541 03 |
| Assessment for 1913 | | $5,883 00 |

*Apportionments.*

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|---|---|---|
| Alexandria District | $808 00 | |
| Baton Rouge District | 907 00 | |
| Lafayette District | 792 00 | |
| Monroe District | 790 00 | |
| Ruston District | 982 00 | |
| New Orleans District | 693 00 | |
| Shreveport District | 911 00 | $5,883 00 |

J. D. HARPER, *President;*
J. IVY HOFFPAUIR, *Secretary.*

M. C. Holt presented the report of the Board of Education.

A motion was made to consider the report in sections, that part relating to the charter of Centenary-Mansfield College being numbered Section 2. The motion prevailed.

It was moved to adopt Section 1 of the report. The motion prevailed.

W. W. Drake moved a substitute for Section 2. The substitute was adopted.

S. H. Werlein moved to amend Section 3 (the Treasurer's report) by appropriating $225 for the partial payment of the debt due Briscoe Carter. The amendment was adopted. Item 3 was adopted as amended.

The report as amended was adopted as a whole as follows:

## REPORT OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

1. The report received from the General Board of Education shows that they are planning for a "more thorough organization of the work and closer and more effective coöperative effort on the part of the educational agencies of the Church." We pledge ourselves to hearty coöperation with the General Board, and shall render all the assistance in our power.

The report from Centenary College is very gratifying. The enrollment is larger than last year, and there are more students doing college work. The expenses for the session of 1911-12 were 13,000, which were paid in full; and they are paying expenses this fall. The outlook is bright for the future. The very success of the college makes a new building imperative, and it must be provided.

The report from Mansfield College is very encouraging. They have bonded the college debt in accordance with plans adopted at the last Conference, have paid the mortgages and floating debts, and the bonds of the college will be liquidated by easy payments made from the Conference assessment for education.

The enrollment this year is 125, the largest in several years. The receipts from all sources this fall amount to $6,338, and the disbursements amount to $4,816, leaving a balance in bank of $1,522, which is a splendid financial statement.

The following are named as trustees:

*Clerical.*—W. W. Holmes, W. H. Coleman, A. I. Townsley, C. C. Miller, F. S. Parker, A. G. Shankle, N. H. Brown, W. R. Harvell, B. H. Sheppard, and F. R. Hill, Jr.

*Lay.*—D. G. Petty, R. E. Bobbitt, R. E. Moore, N. W. Williams, H. T. Liverman, A. W. Baird, C. B. Hicks, W. D. Wadley, Ben Johnson, T. C. Middleton, John Rogers, D. L. Thompson, W. P. Head, S. H. Porter, and C. W. Elam.

A report was made by the Seashore Camp Ground School, which is preparing students for college. We commend this school.

The pastors of the Churches of Natchitoches, Ruston, and Baton Rouge, where our State schools and the university are situated, reported on the number of Methodist students in those institutions and what they were doing for their spiritual development.

There are 518 Methodist students, whom they are reaching as best they can through the Sunday schools and church services. We commend their efforts and assure them of our hearty support and coöperation.

The assessment for the next year is fixed at $7,000 for Conference education and $2,109 for education extension, apportioned as follows:

| District. | Conference Education. | Education Extension. |
|---|---|---|
| Alexandria | $ 966 00 | $ 289 00 |
| Baton Rouge | 1,085 00 | 325 00 |
| Lafayette | 945 00 | 284 00 |
| Monroe | 945 00 | 283 00 |
| New Orleans | 798 00 | 249 00 |
| Ruston | 1,169 00 | 352 00 |
| Shreveport | 1,092 00 | 327 00 |
| Totals | $7,000 00 | $2,109 00 |

We recommend that the following appointments be made: Thomas Carter and H. B. Carré, professors in Vanderbilt University; F. N. Parker, professor in Trinity College; F. R. Hill, President of Centenary College; H. T. Carley, professor in Centenary College; D. C. Barr, Superintendent of Louisiana State Training School; L. A. Sims and J. L. Cady, students in Centenary College.

The report of the Seashore Divinity School is very gratifying. We urge all undergraduates to attend if possible. Our share of the expense is $150, and we instruct the clerical members of the Board of Education to raise the amount by June 1.

The report from the Theological Department of Vanderbilt University was received, showing progress and growth. We commend their work and would like to have a larger number of our young preachers to take the course.

The second Sunday in February, or as near thereafter as practicable, is selected for Educational Day, and the preachers are urged to present the cause of Christian education to their congregations and take up a collection on the assessment.

We nominate C. W. Ward for a place on the Board in place of T. B. Peters.

The Board recommends that the Bishop be requested to appoint M. C. Holt as Conference Secretary of Education.

2. The following disposal of the Centenary-Mansfield College charter matter, which was intrusted to us at the preceding Conference, is recommended:

*Resolved*, That the proposed charter prepared by the Board of Education for the correlation of our colleges be submitted to a commission consisting of M. C. Holt, P. M. Brown, and Briscoe Carter, who shall be instructed to make a thorough study of said charter in connection with the whole educational situation in the Conference and report the result of their investigation in printed form not later than October, 1913, mailing said report to each member of the Conference for study before our next session.

### TREASURER'S REPORT.

*Receipts.*

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| W. W. Drake, Baton Rouge | $ 30 00 | |
| Conference Auditing Board | 3,804 00 | —$3,834 00 |

*Expenditures.*

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|---|---|---|
| General Board of Education | $ 627 00 | |
| Centenary College | 1,600 00 | |
| Mansfield College | 1,382 00 | |
| Briscoe Carter (back salary) | 225 00 | —$3,834 00 |

M. CARTER HOLT, *Secretary;*
H. T. CARLEY, *Treasurer.*

**Supernumerary.**—Question 19 was called: Who are supernumerary?

Answer: None.

**Superannuates.**—Question 20 was called: Who are superannuated?

On recommendation of the Committee on Conference Relations, J. F. Wynn, F. G. Hocutt, M. G. Jenkins, J. L. P. Sheppard, H. Armstrong, C. W. Carter, R. J. Harp, R. S. Isbell, J. F. Patterson, J. A. Parker, A. J. Coburn, T. S. Randle, J. H. Brown, R. A. Davis, J. R. Roy, J. T. Sawyer, B. T. Crews, and I. T. Reames were granted the superannuate relation.

**Resolution of Appreciation.**—W. W. Drake presented the following resolution, which was adopted:

*Resolved*, That the Louisiana Annual Conference hereby express high appreciation of the faithful, painstaking, and efficient work on the part of the commission appointed in accordance with the action of the last Conference in the preparation of a charter for a correlated system of schools and colleges, and that our action in postponing the adoption of said charter has in view the giving of time for full study by the Conference.

W. W. DRAKE,
J. F. FOSTER.

**Laity Rights for Women.**—A paper bearing the signatures of sixty-nine brethren was presented, providing for the study of the subject of the laity rights of women in the Church.

A motion to lay on the table was lost.

Crow Girard moved to adopt, and the motion prevailed. The paper was adopted as follows:

There was admitted to the General Conference of our Church at its last session, held in Asheville, May, 1910, a resolution the purpose of which was to extend to women of Southern Methodism the ecclesiastical rights and privileges which are now enjoyed by the laymen.

The resolution was supported by memorials from several of our District and Annual Conferences, as well as by a petition bearing the names of many of our most faithful, progressive, and consecrated women, along with the names of some of our most loyal preachers and laymen.

Although the General Conference rejected the resolution by a vote of 144 to 77, those who were foremost in advocacy of the measure interpreted that action as an indication both of open-mindedness and of caution on the part of the delegates, but do not feel that the action of the General Conference was necessarily final on the matter, inasmuch as the questions involved had not previously been thoroughly considered and discussed throughout the membership of the Church.

In view of these facts, be it

*Resolved by this the Louisiana Annual Conference:* 1. That the proposal to extend to the women the rights of the laity is one of grave importance to the kingdom of God and to his Church.

2. That the action on this proposal, involving as it does a majority of our membership, should not be taken again by our chief lawmaking body without the most careful study and the fullest discussion of the questions involved.

3. That for the purpose of promoting such study and discussion, a committee be raised at this session of this Conference, consisting of one member, either lay or clerical, appointed by each presiding elder to represent his district.

4. That this committee report its conclusions to this Conference at the session of 1913, it being understood and agreed that the findings or recommendations of this committee will have no authoritative value and that they will not be binding on this Conference or on any member of it.

5. That in order that the fullest publicity may be had and in order that the committee of investigation herein called for may have all the information available, we request our Conference organ, the *New Orleans Christian Advocate*, to open its columns to those who may desire to discuss the question in a calm, judicious, and nonpersonal manner.

PAUL M. BROWN,
B. H. SHEPPARD,
C. M. MORRIS,
THOMAS H. MORRIS,
S. J. DAVIES,
J. C. ROUSSEAUX,
F. J. MCCOY,
F. R. POWER,
P. O. LOWREY,
W. F. ROBERTS,
W. W. PERRY,
R. A. DAVIS,
H. T. CARLEY,
C. B. POWELL,
HENRY T. YOUNG,
W. B. PERRITT,
CROW GIRARD,
H. R. SINGLETON,
H. B. CARRÉ,
L. A. HUMPHREY,
A. G. SHANKLE,
W. WINANS DRAKE,
V. L. FULTON,
F. N. SWEENEY,
S. H. PORTER,
W. S. HOLMES,
R. H. WYNN,
J. M. BROWN,
C. V. BREITHAUPT,
G. E. CAMERON,
J. W. FAULK,
JOHN L. SUTTON,
GEORGE P. WHITE,
W. W. HOLMES,
MARTIN HEBERT,
ROBERT O. RANDLE,
A. M. MAYO,
H. S. JOHNS,
J. B. FULTON,
J. G. SNELLING,
A. INMAN TOWNSLEY,
ROBERT M. BROWN,
ELTON WILSON,
LEON I. MCCAIN,
S. S. BOGAN,
W. L. HUNTER,
W. L. DOSS, JR.,
A. H. PARKER,
H. N. BROWN,
S. L. RIGGS,
C. A. BATTLE,
S. D. HOWARD,
H. W. JAMIESON,
JOHN SHOLARS,
E. L. CARGILL,
J. A. MCCORMACK,
C. C. WIER,
ALBERT S. LUTZ,
R. H. BAMBURG,
W. H. COLEMAN,
W. D. KLEINSCHMIDT,
D. A. MORRIS,
T. W. HOLLOMAN,
P. H. FONTAINE,
M. C. HOLT,
J. C. PRICE,
J. I. HOFFPAUIR,
H. N. HARRISON,
JOHN F. FOSTER.

The report of the Legal Conference was presented by R. H. Wynn as follows:

## REPORT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE LOUISIANA CONFERENCE (LEGAL CONFERENCE).

In accordance with the instruction of the Annual Conference at its last session, the Legal Conference executed a bond mortgage for the sum of $25,000 for the purpose of canceling the mortgage against the property of Mansfield College, and has guaranteed the setting aside of a sinking fund of $1,000 per annum to retire the principal and also six per cent interest payable semiannually.

After a number of delays, the merchantable timber on 1,400 acres of our Bynum property was sold for the sum of $11,250—$3,000 cash, the remainder in three notes payable in one, two, and three years, bearing six per cent interest.

This makes a total of $16,250 that has been realized from the sale of timber, $5,000 having been realized in a former transaction covering pine timber on 400 acres, and having been safely invested in Shreveport. A small amount of timber has been reserved for the use of the place.

The death of Dr. S. S. Keener in the early part of the year was a very great loss to the Board. Many of the details of the business relative to the Bynum property were known only to him. Rev. N. E. Joyner was elected in his place to serve until this session of the Annual Conference, and his removal to Mexico made another change necessary.

Rev. P. M. Brown was appointed as our agent to make personal investigations into conditions on the plantation and to make recommendations. Though not a member

of the Board, and though very busy as presiding elder, he has devoted much time and careful attention to this great interest.

During the boll-weevil period of the past few years the houses, fences, etc., on the place had become so dilapidated that much of the land could not be cultivated the present year, and it has been absolutely necessary to authorize extensive repairs. As the result of these improvements, we have been able to arrange for cultivating a much larger acreage next year, and there should be good returns.

At the meeting during this Conference session the following officers were elected: J. M. Henry, President; W. W. Carré, Secretary; S. H. Meyer, Treasurer.

R. H. WYNN, *President pro tem.*

TREASURER'S REPORT.

As Treasurer of the Legal Conference Committee, I submit as my report for the past twelve months the following:

*Received.*

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| 1911. | | | | |
| Dec. 8. | Cash balance | $ 500 00 | | |
| 1912. | | | | |
| Feb. 2. | Interest from Babington note or fund | 80 00 | | |
| June 4. | Cash account of timber sale | 1,000 00 | | |
| Sept. 16. | Rent from portion of Bynum Place | 39 00 | | |
| 24. | Rent from portion of Bynum Place | 311 00 | | |
| 25. | Interest received from McElroy Fund | 80 00 | | |
| | Interest received from Moore Fund | 72 80 | | |
| 27. | Rent from portion of Bynum Place | 50 00 | | |
| Oct. 10. | Rent from portion of Bynum Place | 54 00 | | |
| 12. | Rent from portion of Bynum Place | 11 00 | | |
| Nov. 29. | Refunded by A. A. Dean (paid in error) | 2 00 | | |
| Dec. 6. | Cash account of timber sale | 2,000 00 | | |
| | Interest for six months at four per cent per annum | 40 00 | | |
| 9. | Rent from portion of Bynum Place | 33 05 | | |
| | Interest from Babington Fund | 160 00 | | |
| | Interest from Thatcher heirs | 400 00 | | $4,832 85 |

*Disbursed.*

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| 1911. | | | | |
| Dec. 12. | S. S. Keener, traveling expenses | $ 8 50 | | |
| 1912. | | | | |
| Jan. 17. | S. S. Keener, traveling expenses | 5 00 | | |
| | S. S. Keener, hardware bill | 27 29 | | |
| Feb. 12. | Materials and Manager's salary for February | 65 00 | | |
| Mar. 19. | Materials and Manager's salary for March | 48 50 | | |
| Apr. 3. | Reimburse S. S. Keener, sundry amounts | 29 99 | | |
| May 3. | N. E. Joyner, traveling expenses | 13 00 | | |
| 14. | W. J. Vinson, Manager's salary for April | 25 00 | | |
| 22. | N. E. Joyner, traveling expenses | 20 00 | | |
| June 3. | C. J. Iles, commissions on timber sale | 562 50 | | |
| 6. | W. J. Vinson, Manager's salary for May | 25 00 | | |
| | W. J. Vinson (feed, $10; blacksmith, $1.25) | 11 25 | | |
| 8. | R. R. Jeter, commissions on timber sale | 250 00 | | |
| 25. | W. J. Vinson, salary for June | 25 00 | | |
| Aug. 7. | W. J. Vinson, salary for July | 25 00 | | |
| 14. | N. E. Joyner, traveling expenses | 8 35 | | |

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| Sept. | 4. | P. M. Brown, traveling expenses | $ 8 35 | |
| | | W. J. Vinson, salary for August | 25 00 | |
| | 11. | J. J. Quinn | 4 00 | |
| Oct. | 3. | W. J. Vinson, salary for September | 25 00 | |
| | 9. | Colfax Brick Company | 85 00 | |
| | 14. | Paul M. Brown, labor for Bynum improvements | 50 00 | |
| | 25. | Sweet Lumber Company | 65 00 | |
| | 31. | Shingles, A. A. Dean | 58 25 | |
| Nov. | 5. | W. J. Vinson, salary for October | 25 00 | |
| | 6. | J. B. Tucker, insurance | 70 00 | |
| | | A. A. Dean, engine, belting, pump, etc. | 275 00 | |
| | | Exchange on checks | 35 | |
| | 8. | Paul M. Brown, labor | 50 00 | |
| | 30. | Paul M. Brown, labor | 30 00 | |
| Dec. | 6. | W. J. Vinson, salary for November | 25 00 | |
| | | Bank of Colfax, to cover note given A. A. Dean in payment for feed, mules, farming implements, wagon, etc. | 527 50 | |
| | 9. | Paul M. Brown, repairs at Bynum Place | 50 00 | |
| | | Paul M. Brown, lime, gin fixtures, and work | 33 05 | |
| | 13. | Joint Board of Finance | 752 80 | |
| | | Board of Missions | 80 00 | |
| | | P. M. Brown, traveling expenses | 7 80 | |
| | | Balance | 437 36 | —$4,832 85 |

S. H. MEYER, *Treasurer.*

**The Committee on the Rights of Women** was appointed, in accordance with the resolution passed, as follows:

S. H. Werlein, R. R. Reid, K. W. Dodson, E. K. Means, T. H. Morris, J. W. Moore, R. O. Randle.

J. C. Rousseaux presented the report of the Committee on District Conference Records, as follows:

### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS.

We, your Committee on District Conference Records, beg leave to submit the following report. We have carefully examined all records, and will mention our criticisms in detail for each district.

The register of the New Orleans District is neatly kept, but we suggest the use of the official record book published by our Church for the records of our District Conferences. Instead of pasting reports and resolutions to the page, we suggest that, inasmuch as there is a danger of these important resolutions and reports being torn from the book, these said reports be written upon the face of the page, thus rendering the record book less bulky and unsightly.

We notice that no margin has been kept upon the pages of record books of the Monroe, Baton Rouge, and Lafayette Districts.

We notice that in the record of the Baton Rouge District Conference in several places no mention is made of the fact that the benediction was pronounced prior to adjournment.

We approve the records of the Shreveport, Alexandria, and Ruston Districts.

J. CUDE ROUSSEAUX,
LEON I. MCCAIN.

**A Resolution of Thanks** was passed by a rising vote, as follows:

*Resolved:* 1. That the thanks of this Conference be extended to the people of Monroe for the kind hospitality shown us during our stay with them; and to the Churches of the city, the City Council, and the railroads of the State for kindness shown us.

2. That we express our appreciation of the unfailing courtesy of our Conference host, Rev. T. J. Norsworthy, and of the full and accurate reports given by the press of the city and the daily papers of New Orleans and Shreveport, and for the many favors shown us by the banks of Monroe.

C. M. THOMPSON,
JOHN F. FOSTER,
PAUL M. BROWN.

**Conference Leader.**—Question 47 was called: Who is elected Conference Leader?

On nomination of the lay delegates, V. L. Fulton, of Shreveport, was elected Conference Leader.

The report of the Committee on Sabbath Observance was adopted as follows:

### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SABBATH OBSERVANCE.

While it is with gratitude we note the awakening of interest in the matter of Sabbath observance, we are not unmindful of the adverse forces at work nor of the crying needs of the situation. There are many things to encourage; but we are appalled as we contemplate the great and growing army of Sunday toilers in our land, now more than four million strong—especially so when we reflect upon the fact that a large part of this Sunday labor is in direct violation of the law, and that but a small fraction of it is in keeping with the modest claims of mercy and necessity.

We deplore the fact that many of our people buy, if they do not sell, on the Lord's day, and it should be to us a matter of serious concern that with many churchgoing on the Lord's day has been supplanted by various forms of entertainment and amusement. The question of Sunday amusements, with its attendant evils and abuses, has assumed alarming proportions, and it is a problem with which we must grapple. Sunday baseball, Sunday excursions, Sunday picnics, and the like are already alluring many of our people from the quiet of home and the sacred precincts of God's house.

We feel that the time has come when it behooves us as pastors, in our private and pulpit administrations, to urge upon our people the necessity of keeping inviolate the Lord's day. Especially is this imperative within the bounds of this Conference, where the large foreign and Catholic elements predominate and advocate a Continental Sunday.

We recommend that it be the order of this Conference that in each congregation during the coming year at least one Sunday be devoted to the consideration of this vital subject.

We also desire to render our indorsement of the Sunday League of America, and commend its purpose, plan, and representatives to the cordial coöperation of all our people.

F. R. HILL, JR., *Chairman;*
A. S. J. NEILL, *Secretary.*

**Closing.**—The business of the Conference having been transacted, the minutes of this morning's session were read and approved. Hymn 93, "Am I a soldier of the cross?" was sung, and the Conference was moved to prayer.

**Adjournment.**—Question 49 was read: Where are the preachers stationed this year? In answer the Bishop read the following appointments, and then, with the benediction, adjourned the Conference *sine die.*

## APPOINTMENTS.

### ALEXANDRIA DISTRICT.

*H. W. May, Presiding Elder* (1).

Alexandria, S. H. Werlein (2).
Boyce and Lecompte, A. S. J. Neill (1).
Bon Ami and Carson, B. H. Sheppard (1).
Bunkie, F. M. Freeman (4).
Campti, J. H. Montgomery, supply (2).
Colfax, E. L. Cargill (2).
Columbia, C. M. Thompson (1).
DeRidder, J. F. Foster (3).
Glenmora, H. B. Vandenburg (1).
Harrisonburg, J. J. Kelly (2).
Jena, W. D. Kleinschmidt (2).
Melville, P. A. Swann, supply (3).
Merryville, D. C. Bennett (3).
Natchitoches, R. H. Harper (5).
Oakdale, S. L. Riggs (1).
Opelousas and Washington, G. A. Morgan (1).
Pollock and Rochelle, C. B. Powell (2).
Provencal, W. J. Newsom (1).
Selma, J. A. Alford (4).
Simsport and Evergreen, W. B. Perritt (2).
Standard, J. M. Alford (1).
Tioga and Pineville, to be supplied.
Trout, C. F. Sheppard (3).

### BATON ROUGE DISTRICT.

*W. H. Coleman, Presiding Elder* (1).

Amite City, H. W. Bowman (4).
Baker, S. D. Howard (3).
Baton Rouge: First Church, W. W. Drake (2).
Second Church, W. A. Mangum (1).
Clinton and Jackson, J. B. Williams (1).
Denham Springs, J. W. Harper (1).
East Feliciana, R. H. Bamburg (2).
Franklinton, L. C. Wilson (4).
Hammond, Elton Wilson (1).
Kentwood, R. S. Walton (2).
Mt. Hermon, H. C. Murphy, supply (1).
Pine Grove, J. S. Rutledge (1).
Plaquemine and New Roads, G. P. White (1).
Ponchatoula, J. A. McCormack (3).
Port Vincent, S. D. Roberts (1) and one to be supplied.
St. Francisville, J. B. Fulton (1).
St. Helena, H. B. Perritt (1).
Tickfaw, R. V. Fulton (1).
Wilson, F. N. Sweeney (3).
Zachary, J. D. Harper (2).
Conference Secretary of Missions, W. W. Drake.
Chaplain State Penitentiary, H. S. Johns (5).

### LAFAYETTE DISTRICT.

*R. H. Wynn, Presiding Elder* (2).

Acadia Circuit, E. B. Troy (1).
Bell City, W. T. McCrory, supply (1).
Crowley, C. D. Atkinson (2).
Evangeline Mission, Louis Hoffpauir (1).
Eunice, W. H. Long (1).
Franklin, A. F. Vaughan (1).
Gueydan and Abbeville, J. D. Nesom (2).
Houma Mission, C. V. Breithaupt (5).
Indian Bayou, J. I. Hoffpauir (1).
Jeanerette, J. W. Booth (1).
Jennings, D. A. Morris (1).
Lafayette, H. N. Harrison (2).
Lake Arthur, H. N. Brown (1).
Lake Charles, K. W. Dodson (1).
Morgan City, C. C. Wier (1).
New Iberia, A. S. Lutz (1).
Patterson, C. E. Fike (1).
Rayne, John Sholars (1).
St. Martinsville Mission, W. V. Falcon (1).
Sulphur and Vinton, A. J. Bonnett (2).
Vermillion, J. H. Hoffpauir (4).
French Missionary, Martin Hebert (16).
Conference Secretary of Education, M. C. Holt (2).
Conference Missionary Evangelist, L. N. Hoffpauir (1).

### MONROE DISTRICT.

*W. Schuhle, Presiding Elder* (2).

Bastrop and Collinston, George Fox (4).
Bonita, W. E. Akin (3).
Brooklyn, J. E. Napper, supply (2).
Calhoun, E. C. Grice (2).
Eros, G. D. Purcell (2).
Farmerville, G. L. Lauderdale, supply (1).
Florence, W. T. Woodward (1).
Gilbert, W. L. Hunter (2).
Lake Providence, J. W. Lee (2).
Mangham, R. Randle (1).
Mer Rouge and Oak Ridge, R. W. Vaughan (1).
Monroe, C. C. Miller (1).

Oak Grove, G. D. Anders (1).
Rayville, A. I. Townsley (1).
Tallulah, V. D. Skipper (1).
Waterproof, W. S. Henry (1).
West Monroe, H. W. Ledbetter (1).
Winnsboro, S. S. Bogan (1).
Superintendent State Training School, D. C. Barr (4).

NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT.

*J. M. Henry, Presiding Elder* (3).

Bogalusa, L. I. McCain (2).
Donaldsonville and Vacherie, T. D. Lipscomb (1).
New Orleans: Algiers, R. M. Brown (1).
Carrollton Avenue, J. G. Snelling (3).
Epworth, W. L. Doss, Jr. (2).
Felicity, C. A. Battle (2).
First Church, J. W. Moore (2).
Louisiana Avenue, to be supplied.
McDonoughville, A. G. Gearheard (2).
Parker Memorial, H. R. Singleton (2).
Rayne Memorial, F. R. Hill, Jr. (1).
Second Church, W. E. Thomas (2).
Slidell and Covington, J. G. Sloane (1).
St. Tammany Circuit, T. V. Peters (2).
Superintendent Orphan Boys' Home, J. L. Sutton (5).
Professors in Vanderbilt University, H. B. Carré (10), Thomas Carter (12).
Professor in Trinity College, F. N. Parker (2).
General Secretary of the Epworth League, F. S. Parker (3).

RUSTON DISTRICT.

*Briscoe Carter, Presiding Elder* (1).

Arcadia, E. K. Means (1).
Ashland, J. E. Craig (1).
Bernice, J. B. Gregory, supply (1).
Bienville, W. J. Porter (1).
Cotton Valley, A. D. George, supply.
Elmore, L. E. Crooks (1).
Haughton, J. M. Brown (1).
Haynesville, W. W. Perry (1); F. L. Tucker, Junior Preacher (1).
Homer, T. J. Warlick (1).
Plain Dealing and Benton, T. J. Embree (2).
Gibsland, J. O. Bennett (1).
Jonesboro, O. L. Tucker (3).
Lisbon, J. C. Price (1).
Minden, A. G. Shankle (1).
Ringgold, D. L. Griffin (1).
Ruston, W. W. Holmes (1).
Sibley, J. W. Faulk (1).
Simsboro, J. L. Lay, supply (2).
Winnfield, L. A. Humphries (2).
Superintendent Methodist Orphanage, P. H. Fontaine (1).

SHREVEPORT DISTRICT.

*P. M. Brown, Presiding Elder* (2).

Anacoco, John Franklin, supply (2).
Bayou Lachute, H. J. Boltz (1).
Coushatta, to be supplied.
Fisher, S. J. Davies (1).
Grand Cane, W. R. Harvell (4).
Greenwood, A. H. Parker (1).
Ida, C. F. Staples (1); H. W. Jamieson, Junior Preacher (1).
Leesville, R. W. Tucker (1).
Logansport, F. R. Power (1).
Many, W. F. Henderson (1).
Mansfield, T. H. Morris (2).
Mooringsport and Vivian, C. M. Morris (1); T. J. Holladay, Junior Preacher (1).
Pelican, J. F. Waltman (1).
Pleasant Hill, S. S. Holladay (1).
Shreveport: First Church, G. E. Cameron (2).
Noel Memorial, W. W. Armstrong (1).
City Mission, H. T. Young (1); H. W. Cudd (1) and F. J. McCoy (1), Junior Preachers.
South Mansfield, W. F. Roberts (1).
Wesley, to be supplied.
Zwolle, J. C. Rousseaux (2).
President of Centenary College, F. R. Hill, Sr. (4).
Professor in Centenary College, H. T. Carley (3).
Students in Centenary College, J. L. Cady, L. A. Sims (2).
Sunday School Missionary Secretary, P. O. Lowrey (3).
Conference Missionary Evangelist, A. W. Turner (2).

TRANSFERRED.—To Southwest Missouri Conference, C. C. Selecman; to Mexican Border Mission Conference, N. E. Joyner.

EDWIN D. MOUZON, *President;*
FITZGERALD S. PARKER, *Secretary.*

## MINUTE QUESTIONS.

QUESTION 1.—Who are admitted on trial?

*Answer.*—William Andrew Mangum, William Vincent Falcon, Eugene B. Troy, Franklin Lafayette Tucker, Charles E. Fike.

QUESTION 2.—Who remain on trial?

*Answer.*—J. E. Craig, W. B. Perritt, W. F. Roberts, R. V. Fulton, Louis Hoffpauir, S. D. Roberts, D. L. Griffin (in class of the second year), J. L. Cady (in class of the first year).

QUESTION 3.—Who are discontinued?

*Answer.*—J. W. Reed, T. W. H. Chisholm, C. C. Clark, S. J. McLean, W. M. Oakes.

QUESTION 4.—Who are admitted into full connection?

*Answer.*—George P. White (in elder's orders), Hugh William Jamieson, Robert Milton Brown, George Fox, Thomas Jefferson Embree, Ollie Lee Tucker, James Hervey Hoffpauir.

QUESTION 5.—Who are readmitted?

*Answer.*—W. T. Woodward.

QUESTION 6.—Who are received by transfer from other Conferences?

*Answer.*—T. J. Norsworthy, from the Southwest Missouri Conference; W. W Armstrong, from the Texas Conference; W. S. Henry, from the South Carolina Conference; W. E. Thomas, from the North Texas Conference.

QUESTION 7.—Who are received from other Churches as local preachers?

*Answer.*—Abel Hoffpauir, a deacon in the Methodist Episcopal Church.

QUESTION 8.—Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers?

*Answer.*—D. A. Morris, a deacon in the fourth-year class in the Methodist Episcopal Church; W. H. Long, from the Baptist Church.

QUESTION 9.—Who are the deacons of one year?

*Answer.*—T. D. Lipscomb, L. A. Sims, D. A. Morris, A. J. Bonnett, J. C. Rousseaux, H. Wade Cudd, J. A. McCormack (in class of the fourth year), J. A. Alford, J. W. Harper, W. J. Newsom (in class of the third year).

QUESTION 10.—What traveling preachers are elected deacons?

*Answer.*—Hugh William Jamieson, Robert Milton Brown, George Fox, Thomas Jefferson Embree, Ollie Lee Tucker, James Hervey Hoffpauir.

QUESTION 11.—What traveling preachers are ordained deacons?

*Answer.*—Hugh William Jamieson, Robert Milton Brown, George Fox, Thomas Jefferson Embree, Ollie Lee Tucker, James Hervey Hoffpauir.

QUESTION 12.—What local preachers are elected deacons?

*Answer.*—None.

QUESTION 13.—What local preachers are ordained deacons?

*Answer.*—None.

QUESTION 14.—What traveling preachers are elected elders?

*Answer.*—Robert Stanton Walton, Timothy Victor Peters, Gustavus Adam Morgan, Francis Roland Power, John Garrison Snelling, Henry Thomas Young, Robert Hosea Bamburg, Thomas Jefferson Holladay, John Lugood Sutton, John Wesley Faulk, Lindsey Ezell Crooks.

QUESTION 15.—What traveling preachers are ordained elders?

*Answer.*—Robert Stanton Walton, Timothy Victor Peters, Gustavus Adam Morgan, Francis Roland Power, John Garrison Snelling, Henry Thomas Young, Robert Hosea Bamburg, Thomas Jefferson Holladay, John Lugood Sutton, John Wesley Faulk, Lindsey Ezell Crooks.

QUESTION 16.—What local preachers are elected elders?

*Answer.*—None.

QUESTION 17.—What local preachers are ordained elders?

*Answer.*—None.

QUESTION 18.—Who are located this year?

*Answer.*—E. N. Evans, A. R. Hoffpauir, T. M. Wafer, T. J. Norsworthy.

QUESTION 19.—Who are supernumerary?

*Answer.*—None.

QUESTION 20.—Who are superannuated?

*Answer.*—J. F. Wynn, F. G. Hocutt, M. G. Jenkins, J. L. P. Sheppard, H. Armstrong, C. W. Carter, R. J. Harp, R. S. Isbell, J. F. Patterson, J. A. Parker, A. J. Coburn, T. S. Randle, J. H. Brown, R. A. Davis, J. R. Roy, J. T. Sawyer, B. T. Crews, I. T. Reames.

QUESTION 21.—What preachers have died during the past year?

*Answer.*—John A. Miller, T. J. Upton, H. O. White, George Jackson, J. M. Johnston, N. S. Cornell, S. S. Keener.

QUESTION 22.—Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?

*Answer.*—Their names were called, one by one, and their characters passed, except that of T. M. Buley, whose name was erased, as he had withdrawn from our ministry and membership.

QUESTION 23.—What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Answer.*—Local preachers, 57; members, 34,198. Total, $34,255.

QUESTION 24.—How many infants have been baptized during the year?

*Answer.*—1,156.

QUESTION 25.—How many adults have been baptized during the year?

*Answer.*—979.

QUESTION 26.—What is the number of Epworth Leagues?

*Answer.*—Senior, 52; Junior, 24. Total, 76.

QUESTION 27.—What is the number of Epworth League members?

*Answer.*—Senior, 1,644; Junior, 594. Total, 2,238.

QUESTION 28.—What is the number of Sunday schools?

*Answer.*—309.

QUESTION 29.—What is the number of Sunday school officers and teachers?

*Answer.*—2,363.

QUESTION 30.—What is the number of Sunday school scholars enrolled during the Conference year?

*Answer.*—25,733.

QUESTION 31.—What was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers?

*Answer.*—$8,000.

QUESTION 32.—What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied?

*Answer.*—$4,563. Appropriated, as per report of Joint Board of Finance, to the Conference claimants.

QUESTION 33.—What has been contributed for missions?

*Answer.*—Foreign, $4,639; domestic, $5,978.

QUESTION 34.—What has been contributed for Church extension?

*Answer.*—$2,545.

QUESTION 35.—What has been contributed for the American Bible Society?

*Answer.*—$446.

QUESTION 36.—What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge?

*Answer.*—Presiding elders, $14,750; preachers in charge, $100,772.

QUESTION 37.—What has been contributed for the support of bishops?

*Answer.*—$1,044.

QUESTION 38.—What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them?

*Answer.*—Societies, 397; houses of worship, 412.

QUESTION 39.—What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon?

*Answer.*—Value, $1,080,030; indebtedness, $49,562.

QUESTION 40.—What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them?

*Answer.*—Pastoral charges, 141; parsonages, 117.

QUESTION 41.—What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon?

*Answer.*—Value, $248,600; indebtedness, $22,590.

QUESTION 42.—What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages?

*Answer.*—Districts, 7; district parsonages, 5.

QUESTION 43.—What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon?

*Answer.*—Value, $22,000; indebtedness, $7,700.

QUESTION 44.—What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage?

*Answer.*—Churches damaged, 7; amount of damage, $1,529.

QUESTION 45.—What are the insurance statistics?

*Answer.*—Insurance carried, $381,350; premiums paid, $2,519; losses sustained, $1,529; collections on losses, $224.

QUESTION 46.—What are the educational statistics?

*Answer.*—Collected for Conference education, $3,207; for educational extension, $784. Total, $3,991. Centenary College: Value, $135,000; professors, 7; pupils, 110. Mansfield College: Value, $55,000; professors, 9; pupils, 125.

QUESTION 47.—Who is elected Conference Leader?

*Answer.*—V. L. Fulton, Shreveport, La.

QUESTION 48.—Where shall the next session of the Conference be held?

*Answer.*—Crowley, La.

QUESTION 49.—Where are the preachers stationed this year?

(See Appointments, pages 38, 39.)

# APPENDIX.

REV. S. S. KEENER, D.D.

(Died April 23, 1912.)

## CHRONOLOGICAL ROLL.

Abbreviations used: R, Readmitted; T, Transfer; FC, Full Connection; MPC, Methodist Protestant Church; CPC, Cumberland Presbyterian Church; CMC, Congregational Methodist Church; MEC, Methodist Episcopa Church; BC, Baptist Church.

| Number. | Name. | Present Relation. | How and When Admitted into Louisiana Conference. | | | Ordained. | |
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| | | | | | | Deacon. | Elder. |
| 1 | Wynn, J. F. | Superannuated | FC, | Dec., | 1859 | 1859 | 1865 |
| 2 | *Carter, C. W. | Superannuated | FC, | Dec., | 1863 | 1865 | 1865 |
| 3 | Davis, R. A. | Superannuated | T, | Jan., | 1871 | 1866 | 1870 |
| 4 | Randle, Robert | Effective | FC, | Jan., | 1871 | 1871 | 1873 |
| 5 | Brown, J. M. | Effective | T, | Jan., | 1873 | 1865 | 1867 |
| 6 | Isbell, R. S. | Superannuated | FC, | Jan., | 1875 | 1874 | 1875 |
| 7 | Harper, J. D. | Effective | FC, | Jan., | 1875 | 1873 | 1876 |
| 8 | Randle, T. S. | Superannuated | FC, | Jan., | 1875 | 1875 | 1877 |
| 9 | Hocutt, F. G. | Superannuated | FC, | Jan., | 1875 | 1870 | 1875 |
| 10 | Parker, J. A. | Superannuated | T, | Dec., | 1876 | 1864 | 1864 |
| 11 | Patterson, J. F. | Superannuated | FC, | Dec., | 1876 | 1876 | 1879 |
| 12 | Sheppard, J. L. P. | Superannuated | FC, | Dec., | 1880 | 1876 | 1882 |
| 13 | Harp, R. J. | Superannuated | R, | Jan., | 1884 | 1846 | 1848 |
| 14 | Davies, S. J. | Effective | FC, | Jan., | 1886 | 1884 | 1888 |
| 15 | Barr, D. C. | Effective | FC, | Jan., | 1886 | 1886 | 1888 |
| 16 | Boltz, H. J. | Effective | FC, | Jan., | 1887 | 1883 | 1888 |
| 17 | Bennett, J. O. | Effective | T, | Jan., | 1888 | 1886 | 1889 |
| 18 | Armstrong, H. | Superannuated | T, | Jan., | 1888 | 1877 | 1879 |
| 19 | Parker, F. N. | Effective | FC, | Jan., | 1888 | 1888 | 1889 |
| 20 | Hoffpauir, J. I. | Effective | FC, | Jan., | 1888 | 1885 | 1889 |
| 21 | Johns, H. S. | Effective | FC, | Jan., | 1888 | 1888 | 1889 |
| 22 | May, H. W. | Effective | FC, | Dec., | 1888 | 1888 | 1890 |
| 23 | Parker, F. S. | Effective | T, | Dec., | 1889 | 1887 | 1889 |
| 24 | Henderson, W. F. | Effective | FC, | Dec., | 1889 | 1883 | 1889 |
| 25 | Porter, W. J. | Effective | FC. | Dec., | 1889 | 1889 | 1891 |
| 26 | Williams, J. B. | Effective | FC, | Dec., | 1889 | 1889 | 1891 |
| 27 | Brown, J. H. | Superannuated | T, | Dec., | 1890 | 1883 | 1887 |
| 28 | Foster, J. F. | Effective | FC, | Dec., | 1890 | 1890 | 1892 |
| 29 | Kelley, J. J. | Effective | FC, | Dec., | 1890 | 1890 | 1893 |
| 30 | Staples, C. F. | Effective | FC, | Dec., | 1890 | 1890 | 1892 |
| 31 | Schuhle, William | Effective | FC, | Dec., | 1891 | 1891 | 1893 |
| 32 | Drake, W. W. | Effective | R, | Dec., | 1892 | 1890 | 1893 |
| 33 | Henry, J. M. | Effective | FC, | Dec., | 1892 | 1891 | 1893 |
| 34 | Crews, B. T. | Superannuated | T, | Dec., | 1893 | 1880 | 1882 |
| 35 | Jenkins, M. G. | Superannuated | T. | Dec., | 1893 | 1861 | 1870 |
| 36 | Sheppard, B. H. | Effective | FC, | Dec., | 1893 | 1890 | 1895 |
| 37 | Bogan, S. S. | Effective | FC, | Dec., | 1893 | 1893 | 1898 |
| 38 | Tucker, R. W. | Effective | T, | Dec., | 1894 | 1890 | 1893 |
| 39 | Brown, P. M. | Effective | T, | Dec., | 1894 | 1893 | 1896 |
| 40 | Wynn, R. H. | Effective | FC, | Dec., | 1894 | 1893 | 1896 |
| 41 | Lee, J. W. | Effective | FC, | Dec., | 1895 | 1895 | 1898 |
| 42 | Miller, C. C. | Effective | FC, | Dec., | 1896 | 1896 | 1898 |
| 43 | Vaughan, R. W. | Effective | FC, | Dec., | 1896 | 1896 | 1898 |
| 44 | Carter, Thomas | Effective | FC, | Jan., | 1898 | 1894 | 1902 |
| 45 | Turner, A. W. | Effective | FC, | Dec., | 1898 | 1898 | 1900 |
| 46 | Neill, A. S. J. | Effective | FC, | Dec., | 1898 | 1894 | 1901 |
| 47 | Wier, C. C. | Effective | FC, | Dec., | 1898 | 1898 | 1900 |
| 48 | Lowrey, P. O. | Effective | FC, | Dec., | 1898 | 1896 | 1900 |
| 49 | Dodson, K. W. | Effective | T, | Dec., | 1899 | 1892 | 1894 |
| 50 | Sweeney, F. N. | Effective | FC, | Dec., | 1889 | 1900 | 1902 |
| 51 | Coburn, A. J. | Superannuated | T, | Dec., | 1900 | 1899 | 1907 |
| 52 | Purcell, G. D. | Effective | FC, | Dec., | 1900 | 1898 | 1903 |
| 53 | Hebert, Martin | Effective | FC, | Dec., | 1900 | 1900 | 1904 |
| 54 | Harvell, W. R. | Effective | FC, | Dec., | 1900 | 1898 | 1906 |
| 55 | Carter, Briscoe | Effective | T. | Dec., | 1901 | 1889 | 1891 |

* Dr. Carter died December 29, 1912.

| Number. | Name. | Present Relation. | How and When Admitted into Louisiana Conference. | Ordained. Deacon. | Ordained. Elder. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 56 | Atkinson, C. D. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1901 | 1898 | 1903 |
| 57 | Brown, H. N. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1901 | 1901 | 1903 |
| 58 | Sloane, J. G. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1901 | 1901 | 1906 |
| 59 | Roy, J. R. | Superannuated | T, Dec., 1902 | 1892 | 1895 |
| 60 | Wilson, L. C. | Effective | T, Dec., 1903 | 1891 | 1896 |
| 61 | Warlick, T. J. | Effective | T, Dec., 1903 | 1885 | 1887 |
| 62 | Means, E. K. | Effective | T, Dec., 1903 | 1902 | 1906 |
| 63 | Bowman, H. W. | Effective | T, Dec., 1903 | 1893 | 1895 |
| 64 | Waltman, J. F. | Effective | MPC, Dec., 1903 | 1899 | 1899 |
| 65 | Cargill, E. L. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1903 | 1903 | 1906 |
| 66 | Kleinschmidt, W. D. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1903 | 1902 | 1906 |
| 67 | Hoffpauir, L. N. | Effective | MPC, Dec., 1904 | 1901 | 1901 |
| 68 | Howard, S. D. | Effective | CPC, Dec., 1904 | 1890 | 1890 |
| 69 | Carré, H. B. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1904 | 1897 | 1901 |
| 70 | Riggs, S. L. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1904 | 1900 | 1906 |
| 71 | Coleman, W. H. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1904 | 1904 | 1906 |
| 72 | Nesom, J. D. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1904 | 1904 | 1907 |
| 73 | Fontaine, P. H. | Effective | T, Jan., 1906 | 1898 | 1902 |
| 74 | Sutton, J. L. | Effective | FC, Jan., 1906 | 1902 | 1912 |
| 75 | Rutledge, J. S. | Effective | FC, Jan., 1906 | 1901 | 1907 |
| 76 | Freeman, F. M. | Effective | FC, Jan., 1906 | 1906 | 1908 |
| 77 | Holmes, W. W. | Effective | FC, Jan., 1905 | 1901 | 1907 |
| 78 | Hill, Felix R. | Effective | T, Dec., 1906 | 1865 | 1867 |
| 79 | Singleton, H. R. | Effective | T, Dec., 1906 | 1897 | 1899 |
| 80 | Shankle, A. G. | Effective | T, Dec., 1906 | 1897 | 1899 |
| 81 | Vaughan, A. F. | Effective | T, Dec., 1906 | 1901 | 1901 |
| 82 | Humphries, L. A. | Effective | T, Dec., 1906 | 1904 | 1907 |
| 83 | Lutz, A. S. | Effective | T, Dec., 1906 | 1894 | 1902 |
| 84 | Carley, H. T. | Effective | T, Dec., 1906 | 1903 | 1906 |
| 85 | Hunter, W. L. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1906 | 1907 | 1910 |
| 86 | Holt, M. C. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1906 | 1904 | 1908 |
| 87 | Townsley, A. I. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1906 | 1904 | 1908 |
| 88 | Harrison, H. N. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1906 | 1906 | 1908 |
| 89 | Booth, J. W. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1906 | 1904 | 1908 |
| 90 | Holladay, T. J. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1907 | 1907 | 1912 |
| 91 | Fulton, J. B. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1907 | 1907 | 1909 |
| 2 | Harper, R. H. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1907 | 1907 | 1909 |
| 93 | Alford, J. M. | Effective | T, Dec., 1907 | 1894 | 1902 |
| 94 | Doss, W. L., Jr. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1908 | 1908 | 1910 |
| 95 | Sholars, John | Effective | FC, Dec., 1908 | 1908 | 1910 |
| 96 | Wilson, Elton | Effective | T, Dec., 1908 | 1895 | 1898 |
| 97 | Reams, I. T. | Superannuated | T. Dec., 1908 | 1891 | 1893 |
| 98 | Ledbetter, H. W. | Effective | T, Dec., 1908 | 1899 | 1902 |
| 99 | Skipper, V. D. | Effective | T, Dec., 1908 | 1884 | 1887 |
| 100 | Price, John C. | Effective | CMC, Dec., 1908 | 1908 | 1908 |
| 101 | Holladay, S. S. | Effective | CMC, Dec., 1908 | 1908 | 1908 |
| 102 | Powell, C. B. | Effective | CMC, Dec., 1908 | 1908 | 1908 |
| 103 | Bonnett, A. J. | Fourth-Year Class | CMC, Dec., 1908 | 1908 | 1908 |
| 104 | Breithaupt, C. V. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1909 | 1909 | 1911 |
| 105 | McCoy, F. J. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1909 | 1909 | 1911 |
| 106 | Sims, Linus A. | Fourth-Year Class | FC, Dec., 1909 | 1909 | ..... |
| 107 | Battle, Charles A. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1909 | 1909 | 1911 |
| 108 | Sheppard, C. F. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1909 | 1909 | 1911 |
| 109 | Morris, C. M. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1909 | 1909 | 1911 |
| 110 | Akin, William E. | Effective | R, Dec., 1909 | 1895 | 1898 |
| 111 | McCain, Leon I. | Effective | T, Dec., 1909 | 1906 | 1911 |
| 112 | Gearheard, A. J. | Effective | T, Dec., 1909 | 1908 | 1911 |
| 113 | Bennett, D. C. | Second-Year Class | CMC, Dec., 1909 | 1909 | 1909 |
| 114 | Werlein, S. H. | Effective | T, Dec., 1909 | 1879 | 1880 |
| 115 | Sawyer, J. T. | Superannuated | R. Dec., 1910 | 1875 | 1876 |
| 116 | McCormack, J. A. | Fourth-Year Class | FC, Dec., 1910 | 1910 | .. |
| 117 | Walton, R. S. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1910 | 1910 | 1912 |

| Number. | Name. | Present Relation. | How and When Admitted into Louisiana Conference. | Ordained. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | Deacon. | Elder. |
| 118 | Peters, T. V. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1910 | 1910 | 1912 |
| 119 | Snelling, J. G. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1910 | 1910 | 1912 |
| 120 | Young, H. T. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1910 | 1910 | 1912 |
| 121 | Bamburg, R. H. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1910 | 1910 | 1912 |
| 122 | Harper, J. W. | Third-Year Class | FC, Dec., 1910 | 1906 | ..... |
| 123 | Crooks, L. E. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1910 | 1908 | 1912 |
| 124 | Perritt, H. B. | Effective | T, Dec., 1910 | 1907 | 1909 |
| 125 | Parker, A. H. | Effective | T, Dec., 1910 | 1897 | 1896 |
| 126 | Cameron, G. E. | Effective | T, Dec., 1910 | ..... | ..... |
| 127 | Morgan, G. A. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1910 | 1910 | 1912 |
| 128 | Power, F. R. | Effective | FC, Dec., 1910 | 1910 | 1912 |
| 129 | Vandenburg, H. B. | Effective | T, Dec., 1907 | 1894 | 1899 |
| 130 | Cudd, H. Wade | Fourth-Year Class | FC, Dec., 1911 | 1911 | ..... |
| 131 | Newsom, William J. | Third-Year Class | FC, Dec., 1911 | 1911 | ..... |
| 132 | Rousseaux, J. C. | Fourth-Year Class | FC, Dec., 1911 | 1909 | ..... |
| 133 | Alford, J. A. | Third-Year Class | FC, Dec., 1911 | 1911 | ..... |
| 134 | Grice, E. C. | Effective | R, Dec., 1911 | 1900 | 1904 |
| 135 | Faulk, John W. | Effective | MEC, Dec., 1911 | 1907 | 1912 |
| 136 | Hill, F. R., Jr. | Effective | T, Dec., 1911 | 1890 | 1892 |
| 137 | Anders, George D. | Effective | T, Dec., 1911 | 1888 | 1893 |
| 138 | Moore. J. W. | Effective | T, Dec., 1911 | 1890 | 1892 |
| 139 | Thompson, C. M. | Effective | T, Dec., 1911 | 1894 | 1896 |
| 140 | Morris, T. H. | Effective | T, Dec., 1911 | 1893 | 1895 |
| 141 | Lipscomb, T. D. | Fourth-Year Class | T, Dec., 1911 | 1909 | ..... |
| 142 | Perry, W. W. | Effective | T, Dec., 1911 | 1905 | 1907 |
| 143 | White, George P. | Third-Year Class | FC, Dec., 1912 | 1892 | 1901 |
| 144 | Jamieson, H. W. | Third-Year Class | FC, Dec., 1912 | 1912 | ..... |
| 145 | Brown, Robert M. | Third-Year Class | FC, Dec., 1912 | 1912 | ..... |
| 146 | Fox, George | Third-Year Class | FC, Dec., 1912 | 1912 | ..... |
| 147 | Embree, Thomas J. | Third-Year Class | FC, Dec., 1912 | 1912 | ..... |
| 148 | Tucker, Ollie Lee | Third-Year Class | FC, Dec., 1912 | 1912 | ..... |
| 149 | Hoffpauir, J. H. | Third-Year Class | FC, Dec., 1912 | 1912 | ..... |
| 150 | Woodward, W. T. | Effective | R, Dec., 1912 | 1892 | 1903 |
| 151 | *Norsworthy, T. J. | Effective | T, Dec., 1912 | 1895 | 1906 |
| 152 | Armstrong, W. W. | Effective | T, Dec., 1912 | 1908 | 1910 |
| 153 | Henry, W. S. | Effective | T, Dec., 1912 | 1904 | 1906 |
| 154 | Thomas. W. E. | Effective | T, Dec., 1912 | ..... | ..... |
| 155 | Morris, D. A. | Fourth-Year Class | MEC, Dec., 1912 | ..... | ..... |
| 156 | Long, W. H. | First-Year Class | BC, Dec., 1912 | ..... | 1912 |

## ON TRIAL.

| Number. | Name. | Class. | When Admitted. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Craig, J. E. | Second Year | 1908 |
| 2 | Roberts, W. F. | Second Year | 1910 |
| 3 | Fulton, R. V. | Second Year | 1910 |
| 4 | Hoffpauir, Louis | Second Year | 1911 |
| 5 | Perritt, W. B. | Second Year | 1910 |
| 6 | Griffin, D. L. | Second Year | 1911 |
| 7 | Roberts, S. D | Second Year | 1911 |
| 8 | Cady, J. L. | First Year | 1911 |
| 9 | Mangum, William A. | First Year | 1912 |
| 10 | Falcon, William V. | First Year | 1912 |
| 11 | Troy, Eugene B. | First Year | 1912 |
| 12 | Tucker, Franklin L. | First Year | 1912 |
| 13 | Fike, Charles E. | First Year | 1912 |

*Located at this session. The name is retained here, else it would never have appeared on the roll of the Louisiana Conference.

## ROLL OF LAY DELEGATES.

ALEXANDRIA DISTRICT.—P. A. Swann (L. D.), T. W. Holloman, H. H. White, J. E. Williams.

BATON ROUGE DISTRICT.—W. S. Holmes, R. R. Reid, H. C. Murphy (L. P.), J. A. Tillery.

LAFAYETTE DISTRICT.—A. M. Mayo, O. A. Benners, Crow Girard, R. E. Brumby.

MONROE DISTRICT.—R. O. Randle, W. L. Calhoun, C. M. Noble, C. H. Peavy.

NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT.—W. W. Sutcliffe, C. O. Chalmers, S. H. Meyer, W. L. Ellis.

RUSTON DISTRICT.—R. T. McClendon, C. H. Henry, J. L. Lay (L. P.), Aaron Driggers.

SHREVEPORT DISTRICT.—W. A. McKennon, W. F. Henderson, Jr., S. H. Porter, W. L. Phillips.

## DIRECTORY.

| Name of Preacher | Charge or Conference Relation | Post Office Address. |
|---|---|---|
| Akin, W. E. | Bonita | Bonita. |
| Alford, J. A. | Selma | Selma. |
| Alford, J. M. | Standard | Standard. |
| Anders, George D. | Oak Grove | Oak Grove. |
| Armstrong, H. | Superannuate | Olla. |
| Armstrong, W. W. | Noel Memorial | Shreveport. |
| Atkinson, C. D. | Crowley | Crowley. |
| Bamburg, R. H. | East Feliciana | Clinton. |
| Barr, D. C. | Supt. State Training Institute | Monroe. |
| Battle, C. A. | New Orleans, Felicity Street | 1818 Chestnut St., New Orleans. |
| Bennett, D. C. | Merryville | De Ridder, Box 403. |
| Bennett, J. O. | Gibsland | Gibsland. |
| Bogan, S. S. | Winnsboro | Winnsboro. |
| Boltz, H. J. | Bayou La Chute | Bayou La Chute. |
| Bonnett, A. J. | Sulphur and Vinton | Sulphur. |
| Booth, J. W. | Jeanerette | Jeanerette. |
| Bowman, H. W. | Amite City | Amite City. |
| Briethaupt, C. V. | Houma Mission | Houma. |
| Brown, H. N. | Lake Arthur | Lake Arthur. |
| Brown, J. M. | Haughton | Haughton. |
| Brown, J. H. | Superannuate | Hodge. |
| Brown, P. M. | Presiding Elder Shreveport Dist. | Shreveport. |
| Brown, R. M. | Algiers, New Orleans | New Orleans. |
| Cady, J. L. | Student Centenary College | Shreveport. |
| Cameron, G. E. | Shreveport, First Church | Shreveport. |
| Cargill, E. L. | Colfax | Colfax. |
| Carley, H. T. | Professor in Centenary College | Shreveport. |
| Carré, H. B. | Professor in Vanderbilt Univ. | Nashville, Tenn. |
| Carter, Briscoe | Presiding Elder Ruston District | Ruston. |
| Carter, Thomas | Professor in Vanderbilt Univ. | Nashville, Tenn. |
| Coburn, A. J. | Superannuate | Vernon. |
| Coleman, W. H. | Presiding Elder Baton Rouge Dist | Hammond. |
| Craig, J. E. | Ashland | Chestnut. |
| Crews, B. T. | Superannuate | Shreveport. |
| Crooks, L. E. | Elmore | Clay. |
| Cudd, H. W. | Shreveport City Mission | Box 455, Shreveport. |
| Davies, S. J. | Fisher | Fisher. |
| Davis, R. A. | Superannuate | Vidalia. |
| Dodson, K. W. | Lake Charles | Lake Charles. |
| Doss, W. L., Jr. | New Orleans, Epworth Mission | 123 S. Pierce St., New Orleans. |
| Drake, W. W. | Baton Rouge, First Church | Baton Rouge. |

| Name of Pr a 'h r. | Charge or Conference Relation. | Post Office Address. |
|---|---|---|
| Embree, T. J. | Plain Dealing and Benton | Plain Dealing. |
| Falcon, W. V. | St. Martinsville Mission | St. Martinsville. |
| Faulk, J. W. | Sibley | Sibley. |
| Fike, C. E. | Patterson | Patterson. |
| Fontaine, P. H. | Superintendent of Orphanage | Ruston |
| Foster, J. F. | De Ridder | De Ridder. |
| Fox, George | Bastrop and Collinston | Bastrop. |
| Freeman, F. M. | Bunkie | Bunkie. |
| Fulton, J. B. | St. Francisville | St. Francisville. |
| Fulton, R. V. | Tickfaw | Tickfaw. |
| Gearheard, A. J. | McDonoghville | McDonoghville. |
| Grice, E. C. | Calhoun | Calhoun. |
| Griffin, D. L. | Ringgold | Ringgold. |
| Harp, R. J | Superannuate | Shreveport. |
| Harper, J. D. | Zachary | Zachary. |
| Harper, J. W. | Denham Springs | Denham Springs. |
| Harper, R. H. | Natchitoches | Natchitoches. |
| Harrison, H. N. | Lafayette | Lafayette. |
| Harvell, W. R. | Grand Cane | Grand Cane. |
| Hebert, Martin | French Mission | 941 W. Main St., New Iberia. |
| Henderson, W. F. | Many | Many. |
| Henry, J. M. | Presiding Elder N. O. District | 236 Olivier St., New Orleans. |
| Henry, W. S. | Waterproof | Waterproof. |
| Hill, F. R., Sr | President Centenary College | Shreveport. |
| Hill, F. R., Jr | Rayne Memorial | 1421 Constantinople St., N. O. |
| Hocutt, F. G. | Superannuate | Biloxi, Miss. |
| Hoffpauir, J. I. | Indian Bayou | Indian Bayou. |
| Hoffpauir, J. H. | Vermillion | Box 159, Abbeville. |
| Hoffpauir, Louis | Evangeline Mission | Gold Dust. |
| Hoffpauir, L. N. | Missionary Evangelist | Jennings. |
| Holladay, S. S. | Pleasant Hill | Pleasant Hill. |
| Holladay, T. J. | Mooringsport and Vivian (J. P.) | Shreveport. |
| Holmes, W. W. | Ruston | Ruston. |
| Holt, M. C. | Conference Secretary Education | Jennings. |
| Howard, S. D. | Baker | Baker. |
| Humphries, L. A. | Winnfield | Winnfield. |
| Hunter, W. L. | Gilbert | Gilbert. |
| Isbell, R. S. | Superannuate | Monticello, Ark. |
| Jamieson, H. W. | Ida, Junior Preacher | Box 643, Shreveport. |
| Jenkins, M. G. | Superannuate | San Antonio, Tex. |
| Johns, H. S. | Chaplain State Penitentiary | Baton Rouge. |
| Kelly, J. J | Harrisonburg | Harrisonburg. |
| Kleinschmidt, W. D. | Jena | Jena. |
| Ledbetter, H. W. | Waterproof | Waterproof. |
| Lee, J. W. | Lake Providence | Lake Providence. |
| Lipscomb, T. D. | Donaldson and Vacherie | Donaldsonville. |
| Long, W. H. | Eunice | Eunice. |
| Lowrey, P. O. | Sunday School Missionary | Mansfield. |
| Lutz, A. S. | New Iberia | New Iberia. |
| Mangum, W. A. | Second Church | Baton Rouge. |
| May, H. W. | Presiding Elder Alexandria Dist. | Alexandria. |
| McCain, L. I | Bogalusa | Bogalusa. |
| McCormack, J. A. | Ponchatoula | Ponchatoula. |
| McCoy, F. J. | Shreveport City Mission | Shreveport. |

| Name of Preacher. | Charge or Conference Relation. | Post Office Address. |
|---|---|---|
| Means, E. K. | Arcadia | Arcadia. |
| Miller, C. C. | Monroe | Monroe. |
| Morgan, G. A. | Opelousas and Washington | Opelousas. |
| Moore, J. W. | New Orleans, First Church | New Orleans. |
| Morris, C. M. | Mooringsport and Vivian | Mooringsport. |
| Morris, D. A. | Jennings | Jennings. |
| Morris, T. H. | Mansfield | Mansfield. |
| Neill, A. S. J. | Boyce and Lecompte | Lecompte. |
| Nesom, J. D. | Gueydan and Abbeville | Gueydan. |
| Newsom, W. J. | Provencal | Provencal. |
| Norsworthy, T. J. | Local Preacher | Monroe, La. |
| Parker, A. H. | Greenwood | Greenwood. |
| Parker, F. N. | Professor in Trinity College | Durham, N. C. |
| Parker, F. S. | Secretary Epworth League | Nashville, Tenn. |
| Parker, J. A. | Superannuate | Lafayette. |
| Patterson, J. F. | Superannuate | Uvalde, Tex. |
| Perry, W. W. | Haynesville | Haynesville. |
| Peters, T. V. | St. Tammany Circuit | Isabel. |
| Perritt, H. B. | St. Helena | Greensburg. |
| Perritt, W. B. | Simsport and Evergreen | Simsport. |
| Porter, W. J. | Bienville | Bienville. |
| Powell, C. B. | Pollock and Rochelle | Pollock. |
| Power, F. R. | Logansport | 1721 Stevens Ave., Shreveport |
| Price, J. C. | Lisbon | Lisbon. |
| Purcell, C. D. | Eros | Eros. |
| Randle, Robert. | Mangham | Mangham. |
| Randle, T. S. | Superannuate | Brundage, Tex. |
| Reames, I. T. | Superannuate | Medford, Oregon. |
| Riggs, S. L. | Oakdale | Oakdale. |
| Roberts, W. F. | South Mansfield | Mansfield. |
| Roberts, S. D. | Port Vincent | Port Vincent. |
| Rousseaux, J. C. | Zwolle | Zwolle. |
| Roy, J. R. | Superannuate | Columbia. |
| Rutledge, J. S. | Pine Grove | Pine Grove. |
| Sawyer, J. T. | Superannuate | Box 1569, New Orleans. |
| Schuhle, William | Presiding Elder Monroe District | Monroe. |
| Shankle, A. G. | Minden | Minden. |
| Sheppard, B. H. | Bon Ami and Carson | Carson. |
| Sheppard, C. F. | Trout | Trout. |
| Sheppard, J. L. P. | Superannuate | Mansfield. |
| Sholars, John | Rayne | Rayne. |
| Sims, L. A. | Student Centenary College | Shreveport. |
| Singleton, H. R. | New Orleans, Parker Memorial | New Orleans. |
| Skipper, V. D. | Tallulah | Tallulah. |
| Sloane, J. G. | Slidell and Covington | Covington. |
| Snelling, J. G. | New Orleans, Carrollton Ave | New Orleans. |
| Staples, C. F. | Ida | Ida. |
| Sutton, J. L. | Supt. Orphan Boys' Home | New Orleans. |
| Sweeney, F. N. | Wilson | Wilson. |
| Thomas, W. E. | Second Church, New Orleans | New Orleans. |
| Thompson, C. M. | Columbia | Columbia. |
| Townsley, A. I. | Rayville | Rayville. |
| Troy, E. B. | Acadia Circuit | R. R. No. 1, Church Point. |
| Tucker, O. L. | Jonesboro | Jonesboro. |
| Tucker, F. L. | Haynesville, Junior Preacher | Haynesville. |
| Tucker, R. W. | Leesville | Leesville. |
| Turner, A. E. | Conf. Missionary Evangelist | Shreveport. |

| Name of Prea h=r. | Charge or Conference Relation. | Post Office Address. |
|---|---|---|
| Vandenburg, H. B.... | Glenmora..... | Glenmora. |
| Vaughan, A. F..... | Franklin..... | Franklin. |
| Vaughan, R. W..... | Mer Rouge..... | Mer Rouge. |
| Waltman, J. F..... | Pelican..... | Pelican. |
| Walton, R. S..... | Kentwood ..... | Kentwood. |
| Warlick, T. J..... | Homer..... | Homer. |
| Wier, C. C..... | Morgan City..... | Morgan City. |
| Werlein, S. H..... | Alexandria ..... | Alexandria. |
| White, George P..... | Plaquemine and New Roads..... | Plaquemine. |
| Williams, J. B..... | Clinton and Jackson ..... | Clinton. |
| Wilson, L. C ..... | Franklinton..... | Franklinton. |
| Wilson, Elton..... | Hammond..... | Hammond. |
| Woodward, W. T..... | Florence ..... | Sicily Island. |
| Wynn, J. F..... | Superannuate..... | Crowley. |
| Wynn, R. H..... | Presiding Elder Lafayette Dist... | Crowley. |
| Young, H. T..... | Shreveport City Mission..... | Shreveport. |

## LOCAL PREACHERS SERVING AS SUPPLIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Franklin, John..... | Anacoco. ..... | Anacoco. |
| George, A. D..... | Cotton Valley ..... | ..... |
| Gregory, J. B..... | Bernice..... | Bernice. |
| Lauderdale, G. L..... | Farmerville..... | Farmerville. |
| Lay, J. L..... | Simsboro..... | Simsboro. |
| McCrory, W. T..... | Bell City..... | Bell City. |
| Montgomery, J. H.... | Campti ..... | Campti. |
| Murphy, H. C..... | Mt. Hermon..... | Vernado. |
| Napper, J. E..... | Brooklyn..... | Chatham. |
| Swann, P. A..... | Melville..... | Melville. |

## DIRECTORY OF LOCAL PREACHERS.

| Name. | Order. | Post Office. |
|---|---|---|
| ALEXANDRIA DISTRICT: | | |
| Bott, E. C..... | Deacon ..... | Vowell's Mill. |
| Biggs, J. R..... | Elder..... | Grayson. |
| Carroll, T. R..... | Licentiate ..... | Washington. |
| Montgomery, J. H..... | Deacon..... | Campti. |
| Peters, E. C..... | Licentiate..... | Independence. |
| Swann, P. A..... | Deacon..... | Melville. |
| Sewell, B. H..... | Deacon..... | Boyce. |
| Taylor, J. A..... | Licentiate..... | Creek. |
| Whatley, W. R..... | Elder..... | Eden. |
| BATON ROUGE DISTRICT: | | |
| Burgess, T. M..... | Deacon..... | Amite City. |
| Carroll, W. C..... | Elder..... | ..... |
| Fayard, E. D..... | Deacon..... | Springfield. |
| George, A. D..... | Licentiate..... | ..... |
| Griffin, D. N..... | Licentiate..... | ..... |
| McLean, D. W..... | Elder..... | Wilson. |
| Murphy, H. C..... | Elder..... | Varnado. |
| Petty, T. T..... | Elder..... | Kentwood. |
| Powell, W. A..... | Deacon..... | ..... |
| Rodgers, T. S..... | Licentiate.. ..... | ..... |

| Name. | Order. | Post Office. |
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| LAFAYETTE DISTRICT: | | |
| Bernard, A. A | Elder | New Iberia. |
| Henry, Q. R | Licentiate | Henry. |
| Hines, H. B | Elder | Rayne. |
| Hoffpauir, Abel | Elder | Indian Bayou. |
| Hoffpauir, A. W | Licentiate | Rayne. |
| Howell, R. P | Elder | Lake Arthur. |
| Martin, R. E | Deacon | Bourg. |
| McCrory, W. T | | Bell City. |
| Monette, George | Licentiate | New Iberia. |
| Reeves, C. W | Deacon | Lake Charles. |
| Stine, Ed | Licentiate | Grand Chenier. |
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| Burkitt, Philip | Elder | R. R. 1, Eros. |
| Colvin, S. W. B | Elder | R. R., Rayville. |
| Fordham, Dennis | Elder | R. R. 2, Chatham. |
| Fordham, Jerry | Deacon | R. R. 2, Chatham. |
| Inabnet, W. B | Deacon | Lapine. |
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| Killingsworth, W. R | Licentiate | Eros. |
| Lauderdale, G. L | | Farmerville. |
| Marshall, John | Deacon | Sicily Island. |
| Napper, J. E | Licentiate | R. F. D. 2, Chatham. |
| Pipes, F. W | Deacon | Calhoun. |
| Reneau, Thomas | Elder | Oak Grove. |
| Spillers, James | Licentiate | R. R. 1, Eros. |
| NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT: | | |
| Burns, Walter | Licentiate | Jackson, Miss. |
| Ahrens, H. H | Elder | New Orleans. |
| Belisle, W. S | Licentiate | Bogalusa. |
| Evans, W. G | Elder | New Orleans. |
| Evans, E. N | Elder | New Orleans. |
| Hundley, A. C | Elder | Donaldsonville. |
| Mackenzie, E. C. S | Licentiate | Centenary College, Shreveport. |
| Moore, John E | Licentiate | St. Patrick. |
| Matthie, F. | Elder | Waldheim. |
| Shroeder, R. L | Licentiate | New Orleans. |
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| Banks, H. M | Elder | |
| Carson, C. H | Elder | Ruston. |
| George, A. D | | Cotton Valley. |
| Griffin, D. L | Licentiate | Shreveport. |
| Hamil, W. L | Deacon | Homer. |
| Lay, J. L | Deacon | Simsboro. |
| Manly, J. M | | Arcadia. |
| Martin, T. J | Elder | Ringgold. |
| Nicholson, W. W | Elder | Arizona. |
| Strickland, M. R | | Bienville. |
| Tucker, J. W | Licentiate | Leesville. |
| SHREVEPORT DISTRICT: | | |
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| Barlow, A. D | Licentiate | Logansport. |
| Boddie, D. B | Licentiate | Centenary College, Shreveport. |
| Carroway, W. S | Elder | Logansport. |
| Edwards, T. L | Elder | Grand Cane. |
| Gatti, H. E | Licentiate | Centenary College, Shreveport. |
| Henderson, W. F., Jr | Licentiate | Keithville. |
| Hoffpauir, L. P | Licentiate | Centenary College, Shreveport. |
| Holder, A. C | Elder | Shreveport. |
| Jordan, J. H | Elder | Shreveport. |
| Nelson, J. M | Elder | Stonewall. |
| Powell, W. H | Licentiate | |
| Roberts, G. S | Elder | Leesville. |
| Sanders, J. P | Elder | Shreveport. |
| Wright, R. T | Deacon | Anacoco. |

## CONFERENCE CLASSES, 1913.

FIRST YEAR.—William Andrew Mangum, William Vincent Falcon, Eugene B. Troy, Franklin Lafayette Tucker, Charles E. Fike, J. L. Cady, W. H. Long (in elder's orders and in full connection, from the Baptist Church).

SECOND YEAR.—J. E. Craig, W. B. Perritt, W. F. Roberts, R. V. Fulton, D. C. Bennett (in elder's orders and in full connection, from the Congregational Methodist Church), Louis Hoffpauir, S. D. Roberts, D. L. Griffin.

THIRD YEAR.—Hugh William Jamieson, Robert Milton Brown, George Fox, Thomas Jefferson Embree, Ollie Lee Tucker, James Hervey Hoffpauir, George P. White (in elder's orders), J. A. Alford, J. W. Harper, W. J. Newsom.

FOURTH YEAR.—T. D. Lipscomb, L. A. Sims, D. A. Morris, A. J. Bonnett (in elder's orders), J. C. Rousseaux, H. Wade Cudd, J. A. McCormack.

## ASSESSMENTS AND APPORTIONMENTS FOR 1913.

| DISTRICT. | Foreign Missions. | Home and Conference Missions. | Support of Bishops. | Conference Claimants. | Minutes. | Expenses of Gen'l Conf. Delegates. | Orphanage. | American Bible Society. | Church Extension. | Conference Education. | Education Extension. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Alexandria | $1,280 | $ 1,748 | $ 275 | $ 963 | $ 55 | $ 75 | $ 1,373 | $110 | $ 808 | $ 966 | $ 289 |
| Baton Rouge | 1,434 | 1,959 | 308 | 1,080 | 61 | 85 | 1,542 | 123 | 907 | 1,085 | 325 |
| Lafayette | 1,252 | 1,708 | 269 | 942 | 54 | 75 | 1,346 | 108 | 792 | 945 | 284 |
| Monroe | 1,248 | 1,706 | 268 | 940 | 54 | 75 | 1,343 | 108 | 790 | 945 | 283 |
| New Orleans | 1,096 | 1,496 | 235 | 825 | 47 | 70 | 1,178 | 94 | 982 | 798 | 249 |
| Ruston | 1,552 | 2,120 | 334 | 1,168 | 67 | 92 | 1,669 | 133 | 693 | 1,169 | 352 |
| Shreveport | 1,438 | 1,963 | 309 | 1,082 | 62 | 85 | 1,549 | 124 | 911 | 1,092 | 327 |
| Totals | $9,300 | $12,700 | $1,998 | $7,000 | $400 | $557 | $10 000 | $800 | $5,883 | $7,000 | $2 109 |

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## ACT OF INCORPORATION.

*An Act to Incorporate the Louisiana Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.*

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Louisiana in General Assembly convened,* That John C. Keener, H. N. McTyeire, R. Randle, J. Sanders, J. B. Walker, S. J. Davies, L. Parker, Philo M. Goodwin, and L. A. Reed, and their associates and successors, such as the Louisiana Conference may from time to time see proper to appoint, be and they are hereby created a body politic and corporate under the name and style of the "Louisiana Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South," and by which name the said corporation shall have success and be capable of using and being used, entering into contracts, receiving and holding property for educational purposes and such charitable purposes as may, from time to time, be specified by the said Conference at its annual session, either by donation or purchase.

SEC. 2. *Be it further enacted, etc.,* That the domicile of said corporation shall be located in the city of New Orleans, and the affairs thereof shall be managed by nine trustees, to be appointed by the Louisiana Annual Conference, one of whom shall be elected President. The President and four trustees shall form a quorum, and shall have power to appoint all other officers necessary for conducting its affairs, and make and adopt such rules, by-laws, and regulations as they may deem proper for the management of said corporation; *provided,* that the same be in conformity with the laws and regulations of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and not repugnant to the laws of the State.

JOHN M. SANDIDGE,
*Speaker of the House of Representatives;*
ROBERT C. WICKLIFFE,
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Approved March 15, 1855:
ANDREW S. HERRON.
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## EXHIBITS REFERRED TO IN REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CHURCH PUBLICATIONS.

EXHIBIT A.

VICKSBURG, MISS., November 23, 1912.

*Dear Brethren:* The Publishing Committee of the *New Orleans Christian Advocate* respectfully submits the following report for your consideration:

The editor, Rev. R. A. Meek, D.D., is an able man, and is rendering valuable services to the Church through the *Advocate.* His editorial utterances are strong, clear, and in full accord with the teachings of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. He is giving to us a safe and highly edifying journal, the equal of any in the Church.

The publisher, Mr. Charles O. Chalmers, has shown his love and loyalty to the Church in his untiring efforts to give to the patronizing Conferences the very best results at the lowest possible cost. He is working at a great sacrifice. The whole profiit as publisher amounted to only $816.28 last year, which is not a living for himself and family.

The editor and publisher have been instructed to charge one cent a word for all obituaries, including appreciations, whether in the form of memoirs or resolutions, containing more than two hundred words. In this matter they are allowed no discretion and can make no exceptions.

The matter of proper advertising was carefully considered, and the editor and publisher were authorized to carry out the will of the committee.

It was decided that the editor should publish the presiding elders' announcements once in full and subsequently to keep their dates in the paper for a month in advance.

Each patronizing Conference is requested to consider the advisability of electing a layman who understands the printing business to membership on its publishing committee.

The year has presented unusual difficulties to the success of the paper; but, in the face of the high water which flooded large portions of our territory and the unusual depression throughout our entire farming section, the business of the paper has been closed up in fairly good condition. The average number of subscriptions remains about the same as last year—7,500—but at least 10,000 are necessary if the *Advocate* is ever to meet the demands upon it as a great paper. The salary paid the editor is embarrassingly small, and nothing but the love of Christ's kingdom and loyalty to the best interests of his Church enables the committee to hold such a man as the Church demands. Eighteen hundred dollars is the best salary the *Advocate* has ever paid its editor.

This is your paper, and we are justified in expecting your patronage and support to that degree which is necessary to make the *Advocate* the great Church journal it should be.

Yours fraternally, CHARLES W. CRISLER, *Secretary.*

PUBLISHING COMMITTEE'S RESOLUTIONS TO THE LOUISIANA CONFERENCE.

Whereas the publisher of the *Advocate* in his report to the Publishing Committee calls attention to a misunderstanding as to the rights of the *Advocate* in the matter of the full use of the Depository building at 512 Camp Street, New Orleans, for the publication of the said *Advocate;* therefore be it

*Resolved by the Publishing Committee:* 1. That, after a careful examination of the charter of the board of trustees of the Depository, we affirm the right of the *Advocate* to the free use of the building for its publication.

2. That we respectfully request an expression from the Louisiana Conference instructing the said board of trustees to carry out the provision of the charter relating to this matter.

J. M. HENRY,
W. W. DRAKE,
I. W. COOPER,
*Committee.*

J. M. HENRY, *Chairman Publishing Committee of New Orleans Christian Advocate;*
CHARLES W. CRISLER, *Secretary.*
October 30, 1912.

EXHIBIT B.

NEW ORLEANS, LA., December 6, 1912.

To the Louisiana Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

*Brethren:* I beg to submit the report of the board of trustees of the New Orleans Methodist Depository for the year 1912, as follows, the original copy of which I herewith inclose:

*Receipts.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash balance December 4, 1911 | $ 79 | |
| Rents during 1912 (ten months at $55) | 550 00 | |
| Rents during 1912 (ten months at $8) | 80 00 | $630 79 |

*Disbursed.*

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| 1911. | | | |
| Dec. 30. | State taxes | $ 32 25 | |
| 1912. | | | |
| Feb. 13. | Repairs | 66 25 | |
| Mar. 8. | Repairs | 3 00 | |
| Sept. 4. | Guttering | 10 00 | |
| 11. | City taxes | 66 20 | |
| Nov. 5. | Insurance (three years) | 150 00 | |
| 8. | State taxes | 19 35 | |
| Dec. 5. | Paving ground floor and whitewash | 220 00 | 567 05 |
| | Balance | | $ 63 74 |

Respectfully, S. H. MEYER, *Treasurer.*

You will note from the above statement that we have a balance of only $63.74, and this statement does not include anything for Conference claimants this year as compared with $550 sent last year. You will appreciate that this is a *very serious* matter indeed, and we regret it exceedingly. This is caused by the lower floor of the building, 509 Camp Street, being vacated by the tenant (whom we have had for several years) October 1 as a result of the vibration of the printing press on the second floor under the control of the *New Orleans Advocate.*

We have been endeavoring to rent it ever since by having the property in the hands of a competent agent and also having had some necessary improvements made, but without success. It is still necessary to spend at least seventy-five dollars more to put the front in good and attractive condition by having it painted.

You will therefore realize that the trustees are terribly handicapped as a result of the publishing of the *New Orleans Christian Advocate* in that building, and we respectfully ask the Conference to give us instructions as to what should be done.

We recommend that the Conference authorize us to provide a suitable domicile for the publishing of the *Advocate* by renting it, so that the building belonging to the Conference can be rented as a whole (all three stories) to one tenant.

Respectfully submitted. W. W. CARRÉ,

*Vice President Board of Trustees of the New Orleans Depository.*

EXHIBIT C.—EXHIBIT OF PUBLISHING AGENTS.

*Brethren:* We beg to submit for your consideration the following exhibit of the operations of your Publishing House for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Sales at Nashville | $622,883 20 | |
| Sales at Dallas | 209,019 25— | $ 831,902 45 |
| Deduct sales to Dallas | $ 77,817 92 | |
| Deduct sales to Richmond | 7,513 10— | 85,331 02 |
| Net sales, Nashville and Dallas | | $ 746,571 43 |
| Net sales, Nashville and Dallas, 1910-11 | | 724,451 36 |
| Increase in net sales | | $ 22,120 07 |

*Profits.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Gain at Nashville, 1911-12 | $ 82,339 18 |
| Gain at Nashville, 1910-11 | 74,089 43 |
| Increase in gain | $ 8,249 75 |

*Cash.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Cash in bank | $ 13,240 09 |
| Postage stamps | 90 59 |
| Total cash | $ 13,330 68 |
| Total assets | $1,327,826 18 |
| Total liabilities | 159,877 06 |
| Capital as per ledger | $1,167,949 12 |

DALLAS BRANCH.

*Assets.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Merchandise inventory | $ 89,350 79 |
| Personal accounts | 70,036 01 |
| Bills receivable | 254 92 |
| Fixtures | 8,653 14 |
| Cash items | 843 07 |
| Total assets | $ 169,137 93 |

*Liabilities.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Nashville account | $88,197 17 | |
| Eastern account | 1,363 79 | |
| Bills payable | 9,000 00— | 98,560 96 |
| Net assets | | $ 70,576 97 |

RECAPITULATION.

| | |
|---|---|
| Net assets, Nashville | $1,167,949 12 |
| Net assets, Dallas | 70,576 97 |
| Net assets, Richmond | 7,513 10 |
| Total net assets | $1,246,039 19 |

Owing to a combination of unfavorable conditions not likely to occur again, the Dallas House for the first time in its history shows a loss on the year's business. This loss amounts to $7,639.83. The outlook for this House for the new year is encouraging.

During the year, for the convenience of our patrons in the Eastern Conferences, we have established a branch House at Richmond, Va. This House opened its doors in March under the management of Mr. W. F. Pierce, and gives promise of being a successful venture.

The *Methodist Review* maintains its high standard and its circulation, meets expense of publication, and yields some revenue to the House.

The *Christian Advocate* has met the cost of publication during the year.

The *Epworth Era* shows a loss of $4,152.42 for the fiscal year. After August 1 the *Era* will be issued monthly in magazine form. Under these conditions we have reason to hope that it will meet the cost of publication in the future.

Our Sunday school literature continues a steady increase in circulation. Sunday school literature and supplies, as with every denominational publishing house, constitute our largest source of sales and profits.

We have charged to profit and loss, for depreciation in values, possible losses on accounts, and General Conference expense, $9,136.79; loss on *Epworth Era*, $4,152.42. To the same account we have charged the $10,000 appropriated for the year for the benefit of superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers.

Respectfully submitted. SMITH & LAMAR, *Agents.*

[At a regular meeting of the Book Committee the above exhibit was approved, and is hereby submitted for the information of the Annual Conferences.—JO B. MORGAN, *Chairman;* W. C. DIBRELL, *Secretary.*]

EXHIBIT D.

To the Members of the Louisiana Conference.

*Dear Brethren:* In the city of New Orleans the Methodist Church owns a building known by the corporate name, "The New Orleans Methodist Depository." This building in construction and location is well adapted for a bookstore. There is no place in the city where Protestant literature, Bibles, and religious books are kept on sale. This lack is a great drawback to our work in the city and surrounding country. We are now making strenuous efforts to advance the cause of Christ here, and we feel that a book depository here would be of great assistance in this work and at the same time be profitable to our House. Our House has established branches in other cities, thus indicating a line of expansion. In view of these things, the New Orleans Methodist Preachers' Meeting appointed a committee to take up the matter and ask the coöperation of the Mississippi Conference, the North Mississippi Conference, and the Louisiana Conference in bringing this matter to the attention of our Publishing Agents. The following resolution was passed:

*Resolved*, That the Mississippi Conference, the North Mississippi Conference, and the Louisiana Conference be requested to coöperate in petitioning the Publishing Agents of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South (Smith & Lamar), to establish a book depository in the city of New Orleans similar to the branches established in other cities.

J. M. HENRY, *Chairman.*

## REPORT OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE LOUISIANA METHODIST ORPHANAGE.

We account the year now closing the most satisfactory in the history of this institution. It appears now to have a fixed status as a Church institution in the hearts and minds of Louisiana Methodists and in Church economics, having passed the tentative period of its existence and assumed its proper rank with the other established utilities of the Church.

The only serious misfortune the institution has sustained this year has been the loss by resignation of its Superintendent of the past four years. While unavoidable, it is, nevertheless, lamentable that the services of one so admirably adapted to and fitted and qualified for such work should not be secured for the active period of a lifetime. We believe and trust that in our choice of a successor to him we have made no mistake.

Our financial showing this year is exceedingly gratifying in that it shows that the Methodists of Louisiana have taken upon themselves the responsibility for the finances of the institution, as in that way we place the burden upon the shoulders of all instead of a few only. The Church responded nobly to the request of this Board one year ago for an assessment of $10,000 this year for maintenance.

Our receipts this year from all sources, up to the date of the November meeting of the Board, amount to $10,275.68, while our expense account, including operating expenses and general maintenance, amounted at the same date to $8,546.78, leaving us then with a balance in our treasury of $1,726.90. In addition to this, large quantities of canned fruits and vegetables have been put up on the place from the surplus crops grown on the place for use during the winter months, besides an abundance of corn, hay, peanuts, sweet potatoes, and the like and also a fine lot of meat.

At the November meeting of the Board, held the 19th of last month, Directors S. D. Pearce, J. H. Mays, and A. G. Shankle were nominated for reëlection by the Annual Conference, their terms expiring with the present year. The Board unanimously elected Rev. P. H. Fontaine as General Superintendent of the Home to take the place made vacant by the resignation of Rev. R. W. Vaughan.

A resolution was unanimously adopted requesting the Annual Conference to levy the same assessment for the incoming that it did for this year—viz., $10,000 for the support and maintenance of the Orphanage—and requesting also that Easter and Work Day be observed as special days for collecting the assessment.

Respectfully submitted. S. D. PEARCE, *President.*

## CERTIFICATE OF ORDINATIONS.

I, Edwin D. Mouzon, one of the bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, do hereby certify that on Sunday, December 15, 1912, in the First Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Monroe, La., after the morning service, I ordained the following persons deacons—namely, Hugh William Jamieson, Robert Milton Brown, George Fox, Thomas Jefferson Embree, Ollie Lee Tucker, and James Hervey Hoffpauir; also on the same day and at the same place in the afternoon, following the service and sermon by Dr. C. W. Carter, assisted by several elders present, I ordained the following persons elders—namely, Robert Stanton Walton, Timothy Victor Peters, Gustavus Adam Morgan, Francis Roland Power, John Garrison Snelling, Henry Thomas Young, Robert Hosea Bamburg, Thomas Jefferson Holladay, John Lugood Sutton, John Wesley Faulk, Lindsey Ezell Crooks.

I also certify that at the same place, following the morning service, D. A. Morris, a minister from the Methodist Episcopal Church, took the deacon's vows; and that, following the afternoon service, W. H. Long, a minister from the Baptist Church, took the elder's vows without reimposition of hands. EDWIN D. MOUZON.

# MEMOIRS.

## REV. JOHN A. MILLER.

John A. Miller, son of Matt L. and L. E. Miller, was born in Anderson District, S. C., January 25, 1832. In 1845 his parents moved to Jackson County, Ala., where in 1847 he professed religion and joined the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. During that winter he moved with his parents to Lafayette County, Miss. On October 2, 1852, he was licensed to preach by the Quarterly Conference of Coffeeville Circuit, Grenada District, Memphis Conference, of which the Rev. Robert L. Andrews was presiding elder, and was immediately afterwards admitted on trial into the Memphis Conference and sent as junior preacher to Pontotoc Circuit, in North Mississippi. In the following March he was put in charge of Carrollville Circuit to fill the place of the Rev. B. B. Ross, who was elected to a professorship in La Grange College. In 1854 he traveled Fulton Circuit, and on October 29 was ordained deacon by Bishop Paine. In 1855 he was removed by the presiding elder from Okolona Circuit, to which the bishop appointed him, to the Carrollville Circuit, the pastor of which had died. In the fall of 1855 he was transferred to the Louisiana Conference with Rev. S. B. Surratt, and was appointed to the New Orleans Circuit. At the Waterproof Conference, February 8, 1857, he was ordained elder by Bishop Kavanaugh and sent to Mt. Bayou and Bayou Vidal Circuit, where he built a chapel costing about $800, which the Rev. B. M. Drake dedicated. In February, 1858, at the Mansfield Conference, he was sent to Richmond and Madison Colored Mission and supplied the immense territory by preaching three and sometimes five times on the Sabbath. To other difficulties an overflow of the Mississippi was added, and the itinerant's horse had to be substituted by the skiff or dugout. In 1858 and 1859 he was sent to Pattersonville Circuit and inaugurated Methodist preaching in Brashear City, where he officiated once a month. On July 29, 1859, he married Miss Rosa B. Mills at Chapel Hill, Tex., and secured this year a parsonage in the town of Pattersonville. In 1860 and 1861 he was sent to Island and Wright's Chapel. In 1862 he was sent as chaplain to the Ninth Mississippi Regiment, Confederate States Army, and the following year was returned to Pattersonville Circuit; but in consequence of the latter appointment being within the Federal lines, he was removed to Homer Circuit, where the pastor had died. In December, 1853, the Conference which met at Homer returned him to that work. He served the Claiborne Circuit the following year, and in December, 1865, was sent to Minden Circuit. In December, 1866, he was presiding elder of the Homer District, the next year on Mt. Lebanon Circuit, and December, 1868, on Haynesville Circuit, where he remained four years. In 1873 he went to South Bossier Circuit, in 1874 to Minden Circuit, and in 1875 was made presiding elder of Homer District, which he served three years. In December, 1877 (to 1879), he was appointed to the Haynesville Circuit, in 1880 to Minden Circuit, and from 1881 to 1885 was returned to Haynesville Circuit. He was a delegate to the General Conference at Atlanta, Ga., and served in that body on the Committee on Revisals. In December, 1885, he was sent to Arcadia and served during 1886, 1887, 1888, and 1889. In December, 1889, he was sent to the Opelousas District as presiding elder and served four consecutive years. In December, 1893, he was sent to Ruston and served four years. In December, 1897, he located on account of trouble with his throat. During the year 1898 he lived with his son at Perry, La. In December, 1898, his throat having recovered sufficiently to enable him to take work, he was sent to Patterson, and served here four years.

In December, 1902, he was sent to Clinton and served one year, and in December, 1903, he was superannuated. The remainder of his days were spent with his son at

Perry, La., until the latter's death, in March, 1908, when he went to live with his daughter in Patterson, Mrs. Emma Wadsworth.

This is a noble record of pastoral and evangelistic work. Faithful in his duties as a preacher, firm in his devotion to his friends, and courteous in his demeanor to all, he lived out his appointed time and entered the saints' everlasting rest.

C. W. CARTER.

## REV. T. J. UPTON.

On the 17th day of October, 1912, Rev. T. J. Upton passed from this life and entered into rest at the age of eighty-three years. His death occurred at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Burnett, of Minden, La. He was the eldest son of D. W. and Susan R. Upton, and was born in Columbus, Ga., May 18, 1830. He grew to manhood in Talbot County, Ga., and there was converted and united with the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in 1848. He said: "The genuineness of my conversion I have never doubted, though I have on several occasions doubted my present acceptance with God." For some time he resisted the call to preach, until, like Paul, he felt: "Woe is me if I preach not the gospel of the Son of God." He was licensed to preach by the Quarterly Conference of the Buena Vista charge in Marvin County, Ga., in May, 1856. He continued as a local preacher until he came to Louisiana and was admitted into the Louisiana Annual Conference in February, 1859. He said: "I have never looked back, and have no desire to do so now. I have served twenty-two charges in this Conference, and about two-thirds of them were circuits; the others were stations. For about three years I served as Financial Secretary of Horner College. In all these years I have ever aimed to do my duty in the fear of God."

He was granted the superannuate relation at the Conference held in Minden in December, 1907, and continued therein until his death. He was married to Miss Elizabeth Wheeless in 1849. To them were born nine children, two of whom preceded their mother to the grave. The others are members of the Church of their parents. He paid the following tender tribute to the memory of his wife: "On December 23 my dear wife was called to her reward. We had lived together in the sacred relationship of husband and wife for fifty-three years. Having witnessed her conversion and her upright life for so many years, I think I am safe in saying that I have never known her equal in Christian character and living. She let her light shine in all the relationships and responsibilities of life, and when the end came she was ready to go." This writer and wife lived in that home for two years. Truly it was a godly home, and a truer woman or a finer Christian character than Sister Upton we never knew. Their home life was beautiful. Their son writes of his father as follows: "He was our horse, and we rode him as such; we tousled him and piled ourselves onto him; we played all sorts of pranks on him, and he in turn played pranks on us. He was the greatest romper of us all. No child ever escaped his notice, and he spoke kindly to all. Even the negroes gathered around him to hear him talk and ask his advice. I never knew father's faith to waver. I have seen the clouds, big and black, hang low about him, but I never knew him to falter or lose confidence in God. In the most trying times he would say: 'It will all come out right, for God rules.' In the forty-seven years that he served charges there were many bitter struggles, but I never heard him complain or grow despondent. He always spoke a word of cheer to others. One time mother said: 'Papa, there is nothing for dinner. I cooked the last we had for breakfast, and the children are hungry. What shall we do?' He answered: 'Call the children in and we will have prayers.' He laid our condition before the Lord as if he were talking to an earthly father. Within a short time a negro climbed from off a load of cotton and carried to our house the half of a large hog and said: 'Marster told me to fotch dis to de preacher—said you might want some pork.' The negro had scarcely disappeared down the road when another drove up to the gate with a cartload of general provisions

—about all that we needed. He said: 'De folks in de town told me to fotch dese to de preacher.' "

He was a clear, strong preacher. Few men could make the truth contained in a text more luminous than he or press it home more pointedly on the consciences of men. He once said: "My association with my brethren has been delightful, and with some of them it has been unbroken for forty-seven years."

Duty seemed to be his watchword. At a time when his salary was so small that his family could not live on it a business firm offered him a salary five times as large, but he refused it and went on faithfully in his Master's work. Near the close of his life, when his mind had worn out, he preached to the negro man who cared for him and urged him to accept Christ. Once this man sang an old hymn, and Brother Upton joined him, carrying the bass part to the end. His son related this touching incident: "One day he went into the kitchen and said to my sister: 'Gussie, have you any food in the safe? I want a biscuit.' She followed him and found him distributing it to the widows and orphans he imagined the Conference had put in his care."

He was ever the friend of the man who was in trouble, fearlessly defending the right and as boldly condemning the wrong. He feared nothing but sin. He had but one rule of life, and that was to do right. He was a foe to be dreaded by evil and evil men, and a friend to be trusted. I cannot better close than with a paragraph from his autobiographical notes, written in 1905 at the request of his eldest son: "My future prospects are glorious beyond description. I feel that I will not live much longer; that I am ready to go. And in looking back I feel that I have been engaged in a good cause. I have been in earnest; I have kept the faith; I have tried to do my duty and to live right before God. Though I have made many mistakes, my motives have been pure. God knows that I feel that 'henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of life, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will give me in that day.' This thought makes me happy."

" 'Servant of God, well done!
Rest from thy loved employ;
The battle fought, the victory won,
Enter thy Master's joy.' "

J. D. HARPER.

## REV. H. O. WHITE.

Rev. Henry Octavius White was born June 8, 1840, at Franklin, Tenn. He was born again into the kingdom and patience of our Lord Jesus Christ September 10, 1856; given license as an exhorter May 15, 1858; and received his credentials as a preacher on the 6th day of August during the following year.

He joined the Louisiana Conference at its regular session in 1860. He was married in 1868 to Miss Eliza Robinet, who shared with him the duties and labors of an extended itinerant life, and together they reared a large family. His devoted wife and children mourn their loss, yet this is softened by the assured hope of reunion in the eternal home.

The scope of his ministry is practically coextensive with the State of Louisiana and covers a period of history that was replete with the inflictions of war, flood, and pestilence. Yet his life history shows that he kept the faith and moved forward in his appointed way steadfastly until the final call came on October 17, 1912. He received the following appointments at the hands of the chosen authorities of the Church: Sabin Circuit, 1861; Caddo Circuit, 1862; Bear Creek Circuit, 1863; Bayou Macon, 1864-65; Big Cane and Evergreen, 1866; Alexandria, 1867-68; Bossier, 1869; North Bossier, 1870-72; Minden, 1873; Trenton, 1874-76; Bastrop, 1877-78; Lake Providence, 1879-82; Baton Rouge, 1883-84; New Iberia, 1885-86; Rayne and Plaquemine Brulee, 1887; Minden, 1888-89; Arcadia, 1890; Delhi District, 1891-94; Opelousas Dis-

trict, 1895-98; Lake Providence, 1899-1900; Arcadia, 1901-02; Bienville, 1903-05; Columbia, 1906-09; Mangham, 1910-11. From this place, after a ministry of two months and seven days of the current Conference year, he entered into rest. He received altogether twenty-four appointments to different charges as circuit and station preacher and presiding elder.

Such a life of sacrifice and service crystallizes into its own memorial. No doubt the full-rounded voice, so often heard in earnest prayer in the council of the saints below, now joins in the praises of God above. S. J. DAVIS.

## REV. GEORGE JACKSON.

Rev. George Jackson was born in England in the year 1823, and he cherished until death a love for his native land. Having come to America and to the South, he was licensed to preach in 1857 in Mississippi. He was admitted on trial into that Conference in November, 1857, ordained deacon in 1859, and elder in 1860. He served in the Mississippi Conference until 1873, when he was transferred to the Louisiana Conference. During the Civil War he held a meeting in Mississippi in which there were one hundred conversions. At the time of his death he was a superannuate. During his superannuation he spent most of his time with his son at Lecompte, La., and was engaged in selling books. He died in a sanitarium in Shreveport February 24, 1912. He was buried in Lecompte.

Brother Jackson loved to preach and rejoiced in the opportunity of doing so. He prepared his sermons carefully, committing them to manuscript, and they were of a high order. He was a sunny, happy, faithful old man, who had a host of friends all over the State. He loved humanity, his Church, and his Lord. Never an aged one grew old more gracefully and more cheerily. He loved to be with younger men, and there was little of gloom in his disposition as the lengthening shadows fell across his pathway. The sweet-tempered old man in his life in old age seemed to say to others:

"'Grow old along with me!
The best is yet to be.'"

His kindly face will be missed from a place around many firesides and from our various gatherings. For a number of years his hearing was bad, but with a smile he sometimes said: "I'll hear when I go up yonder." Now he hears again, and it is the sweet strains of celestial music. In closing some notes on his life written not long before his death he said: "I am depending alone on the blessed Saviour for salvation. I have been an unprofitable servant; and when I am called upon to lay down my armor, I will say with Fanny Crosby:

'Some day—till then I'll watch and wait,
My lamp all trimmed and burning bright,
That when my Saviour opes the gate,
My soul to him may take its flight.
And I shall see him face to face,
And tell the story—saved by grace.'"

J. D. HARPER.

## REV. JOHN MACON JOHNSTON.

The subject of this sketch was born in Alabama January 20, 1825; and died at the home of his granddaughter, Mrs. Zuella Johnston, Alexandria, La., March 19, 1912. His parents were Charles and Elizabeth Macon Johnston. They moved from North Carolina to Alabama in 1818. He was the youngest of the family. The teachings of pious parents impressed his young mind, and he recalled with pleasure the visits of Ebenezer Hearn and Granberry Garrett and their talks around his father's fireside.

Thus was implanted in his young mind the truth that later developed into the strong spiritual character of his ministry and manhood.

He united with the Church in 1837. He was licensed to preach in 1860; was admitted into the Alabama Conference in 1864, where he served ten years. In 1875 he was transferred to the Louisiana Conference, and was a successful pastor for about twenty years. Even after he was forced to rest, he was ever ready to preach or labor to the limit of his strength.

Brother Johnston was a man of deep convictions, strong will, and indomitable courage. His son, Dr. Julius Johnston, died of yellow fever in 1898, and in the absence of other preachers he conducted the funeral service over that boy whom he loved almost to idolatry.

In 1850 he was married to Miss Elizabeth Moore, a most happy union. She died several years ago, and there seemed to fall over her husband a shadow that never lifted. His mind seemed to sympathize and suffer with the failing body. He had a fall on April 11, 1911, and never walked afterwards. He was almost continually in bed for eleven months—till death brought release to the weary sufferer and his freed spirit went to join the loved ones in the "land where there is no death."

Brother Johnston preached the funeral sermon of the father of this writer in 1882, having traveled thirty miles to do so; and after these years, in loving appreciation of that service and of his useful life, and by his own request made years ago, this tribute has been written to his memory. How appropriate here are the words of the seer of Patmos, "Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord; for they rest from their labors, and their works do follow them!"

J. D. HARPER.

## REV. N. S. CORNELL.

Rev. Nathan Sweetland Cornell passed from a world of trial and sufferings into the glory land September 10, 1912. He was the son of Abner and Mary Cornell, and was born in Saratoga County, N. Y., August 29, 1833. When a young man about twenty-four years of age he went to Mississippi, where he engaged in teaching school. In 1859 he was married, and his wife proved to be a faithful and efficient helpmeet. She preceded him in joining the angelic hosts quite a number of years. Brother Cornell leaves behind one son, faithful H. N. Cornell, and two loving and devoted daughters, Mrs. J. H. McDade and Mrs. Julia Wynn.

Feeling that God had called him to the ministry, he joined the Mississippi Conference and was ordained deacon in the year 1860 and elder in 1862. The Minutes record that he was admitted into the Louisiana Conference in 1875. The official records do not inform us as to the charges he served from 1875 to 1886, but, judging from his usual faithfulness and efficiency, we feel that they were years of great accomplishments, for he was then in the very prime of life. After this period of unrecorded service, Brother Cornell served efficiently the following charges: Columbia, 1886; Coushatta, 1887-90; Waterproof, 1891-93; South Bossier, 1895; Haynesville, 1899; Delhi, 1900; Calhoun, 1903-04; Gilbert, 1905; Floyd, 1906-07.

Brother Cornell, after his long and useful active life, was superannuated at the 1907 session of the Louisiana Conference. From this time to the day of his death he resided with his son, H. N. Cornell, at Atkins, La.

Brother Cornell was one of our most useful preachers, though his refined modesty and unassuming manner may not have attracted so much attention as others not so well qualified. He was a diligent student and an accurate thinker, keeping in close touch with the problems of his day and time, and was always active and energetic in aiding in the solution of those problems that came in his sphere of service. Though conscious that his mind had become clouded and his memory almost gone, he bore patiently and graciously the trials of his latter days. The interests of our Church were always dear to his heart. Upon two occasions when Conference was near at

hand he wandered out alone, and when asked to return, replied that his duty was at Conference and that he must attend.

God grant that we who are left behind may be as diligent in service and faithful to the trust committed to us! C. M. MORRIS.

## REV. S. S. KEENER.

Dr. S. S. Keener was the son of the late Bishop John C. Keener and Mary Spencer. He was born in the city of New Orleans August 3, 1857; and passed away peacefully on the morning of April 23, 1912, attended by his devoted wife, affectionate niece, and many faithful friends.

He received his education at Centenary College of Louisiana and at Wofford College, in South Carolina, having a degree of Doctor of Divinity conferred by Emory College, Oxford, Ga. He united with the Louisiana Conference and was assigned to work at Alexandria in 1879. His labors and service are only indicated by the appointments he has filled in the State: In 1880, Patterson and Morgan City, being in that year admitted into full connection; in 1881-82, Lafayette (then Vermillionville); 1883, Mansfield; 1884, Lake Charles; 1885-86, Rayne and Plaquemine Brulee; 1886-88, presiding elder of Opelousas (now Lafayette) District; 1889, Morean Street, New Orleans; 1890, Plaquemine and Donaldsonville; 1891, Rayne Memorial, New Orleans; 1892-94, First Church, Baton Rouge; 1895, Amite City; 1896, Dryads Street, New Orleans; 1897-1900, presiding elder of New Orleans District; 1901, presiding elder of Baton Rouge District; 1902-03, presiding elder of Crowley (now Lafayette) District. He was also a delegate to the General Conference which convened at Dallas, Tex., in 1902. In 1904 he served Jackson and Ethel. In 1905 he asked for the supernumerary relation, feeling already the premonitions of the relentless malady which ultimately caused his death. In 1906-07 he was again in active service, filling the charge at Morgan City. In 1908 he became presiding elder of the Monroe District, which appointment he held when he received the last summons, April 23, 1912.

Dr. Keener was twice married. In 1880 he was united in marriage to Miss Anna Boatner, of Ouachita Parish. She was a noble soul, and their married life was lovely to the end, which came at her death, in 1906. His second marriage was to Miss Evelyn Wright, of Auburn, Ala., which happy union was severed by his death.

His love for the Church of his Lord was manifested by a generous legacy to the annuity loan fund of the General Board of Church Extension, testifying at the same time his attachment and devotion to his beloved wife, who lives to mourn so great a loss.

The name of Keener is inseparably woven into the fabric of Louisiana Methodism. While it is a sad truth that there is now no living descendant of the late Bishop John C. Keener bearing that honored name which is locked up in the archives of God, it is still true that the labors and benefactions of the Keeners for the Church they loved so dearly will live in the memory of Methodist people as long as Methodism survives. His influence was actively and widely felt in the educational, financial, and other progressive movements of the Church.

He possessed some characteristics which were unique and peculiarly his own. He was strong in his convictions and positive in the assertion of them; thoroughly and rigidly orthodox, adhering strictly to the standards in both his personal faith and the gospel that he preached. He was absolutely uncompromising with evil, decidedly pronounced in his utterances, and was unyielding when a question of moral truth was presented to him. He was a true and devoted friend, willing to go to any length for one to whom he was really attached, except when it came in conflict with the interests of the Church. He was outspoken and never dissembled; everybody knew where he stood. He was endowed with a strong personality, combined with marked intellectual gifts. His perception was frequently quick as a stroke of lightning, his logic accurate, his vision broad, and oftentimes he swept an entire field of thought in an instant.

Those who sat under his ministry readily discerned the one aim of his sermons—the exaltation of Christ. His whole pulpit thought seemed to be dominated by the words of his Master: "And I, if I be lifted up, will draw all men unto me." No strange fire burned on the altar, no unbeaten oil illumined the sanctuary when he ministered in holy things.

The home life and generous hospitality of Dr. Keener added charms to his many other noble qualities. Here he was seen at his best. He was never forgetful of his friends and loved ones. Notwithstanding his firm and decided temperament and pronounced views, he was as tender as a woman in his consideration for those whom he loved. During his last illness his faith remained unshaken, and he was thoroughly reconciled to the will of his Master. The last conscious act of his life was to elevate his hands, pronounce the apostolic benediction over a world from which he was fading away as he was being translated into the "house of many mansions." "And there was silence for a moment in heaven, and a new voice was added to God's choir."

C. C. MILLER.

## MRS. J. D. STAYTON.

Mrs. Fannie Stayton was born in Kentucky and moved with her husband, J. D. Stayton, to Louisiana, and there with him took part in the various appointments given them in the Louisiana Conference. She often felt that the work was hard and required great sacrifice, work, and suffering; for the mode of traveling from appointment to appointment was not, as now, by trains of cars, but often by private conveyances, such as wagons, carriages, or buggies. She did not murmur, but, like the heroine she was, stayed by Brother Stayton and assisted him in the great work of the itinerancy until, over twenty-five years ago, he fell at his post, near Coushatta. Here, being left a widow with several children, she managed to give them a liberal education and reared them to manhood and womanhood. By economy and good management she also provided herself and them a comfortable home, where, with a little help she received from the Conference, she lived in tolerable comfort. She always felt that her house was the preachers' home, and wanted them to feel so. She loved to entertain them and wanted them to visit her. About a year before she died she was visited by the presiding elder accompanying the writer, who was then her pastor. The visit she appreciated very much, and she joined in the prayer very earnestly. The writer, as pastor, visited her quite often, and always found her glad to receive him and his wife as often as they could come, still insisting on their coming oftener. Her health began to fail her a little over a year before she died, though she kept going. During this time she would say she would be glad if the time would come for her to go, for she was ready and anxious to go to her heavenly home. She constantly trusted her blessed Saviour. Being asked several times by her pastor if she was prepared to go to her reward, she would always say that she was ready. She was confined to her bed a week or so before she died. During this time, if asked how it was with her, she would always say: "All right." A few days before death came she became paralyzed in her right side, which affected her tongue. On being asked by her pastor if she was still ready to go home to glory, she tried to talk but could not articulate plainly, but indicated that she was ready and waiting. She died on the 4th of August, 1912. We buried her in the Springville Cemetery on August 5.

She was a grand Christian woman, and was distressed to see the people so indifferent to Church and Church work. Let us follow her as she followed Christ Jesus our Lord and meet her in glory. She was about eighty-four years of age. R. A. DAVIS.

## MRS. B. F. ALEXANDER.

Sister Alexander was a daughter of Brother Butterworth, a member of the Bellebower Church, on the Keachie Circuit, in the Shreveport District. She was brought

up in that community, and was first married to Brother Jeptha Landrum during the year 1864 or 1865. Shortly after their marriage Brother Landrum located, and they went to Galveston, Tex. Here Brother Landrum lost his moorings and drifted out of the ministry and the Church. Had it not been for the saving influence of this godly and faithful woman he would have made a complete shipwreck of his life and soul. In the year 1877 Brother J. T. Davis and I called upon them while on our way from Shreveport, via Galveston, to Conference in New Orleans. They were keeping an eating and boarding house, and were in straitened circumstances, Brother Landrum being more or less dissipated; but she was firm and steadfast in the faith. Brother Davis and I urged Brother Landrum to return to the work of the Master, but he hesitated on the ground that he had betrayed his trust and feared that God would not accept his offering. But Brother Davis, sustained by his dear, faithful, and devoted wife and me, urged him to return, assuring him that God could have mercy, would forgive and accept. Either at the end of that year or the year following they returned to Mansfield, where he had surrendered his credentials twelve years before. By that Quarterly Conference he was recommended for reinstatement into the ministry and Conference. Without a dissenting voice the Conference restored him and restored his credentials, after which he did several years of good work for us. No one had more to do with his restoration than the dear woman who is the subject of this memoir, and no one rejoiced more than she. His last work was the Evergreen charge; and in that county he died in 1885 or 1886, leaving his dear wife running a small place in that country, where she taught school. And another preacher found her, wooing and winning her heart and hand. They were married during the year 1888 and lived together three years, when he died, leaving her a widow indeed. I am persuaded by what I saw of her that she was a model preacher's wife. She had no children, and was left alone by the death of Brother Alexander, which occurred in 1892, if I mistake not. She then came to Caddo Parish and lived with her brother in the old community. I was her pastor during the years 1893 and 1894, and found her very useful in the Church and a great help to her pastor. She took great pleasure in the work of Christ, and helped—yea, was the heart of—the woman's work in that Church. I have seen but little of her since that time, as she went to Texas, and I heard of her only through the Joint Board of Finance; but I am sure that she died as she had lived, honoring and serving her Master, and that while we are doing the Master honor through her she is giving him glory and praise with the disembodied host beyond the river.

ROBERT RANDLE.

# STATISTICAL TABLES.

# Table No. I.—Membership, Baptisms, and Church Property.

## ALEXANDRIA DISTRICT.

| Number. | Name of Charge. | Pastor Reporting. | Local Preachers. | Members Reported Last Year. | Additions on Profession of Faith. | Additions by Certificate or Otherwise. | Removals by Death and Otherwise. | Present Total Membership. | Adults Baptized. | Infants Baptized. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Alexandria | S. H. Werlein | ..... | 555 | 23 | 113 | 106 | 585 | 4 | 10 |
| 2 | Bon Ami | W. M. Oakes | ..... | 81 | 31 | 21 | 46 | 87 | 11 | 5 |
| 3 | Boyce and LeCompte | R. M. Brown | ..... | 218 | 22 | 2 | 22 | 220 | 20 | 27 |
| 4 | Bunkie | F. M. Freeman | ..... | 201 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 203 | ..... | 3 |
| 5 | Campti | J. H. Montgomery | ..... | 199 | 46 | 6 | 111 | 140 | 24 | 11 |
| 6 | Colfax | E. L. Cargill | ..... | 243 | 4 | 16 | 20 | 243 | 2 | 4 |
| 7 | Columbia | H. W. May | 1 | 304 | 10 | 136 | 60 | 390 | 8 | ..... |
| 8 | De Ridder | J. F. Foster | 1 | 213 | 3 | 12 | 7 | 221 | 1 | ..... |
| 9 | Elizabeth | H. W. Ledbetter | ..... | 296 | ..... | 2 | 192 | 106 | ..... | ..... |
| 10 | Glenmora | W. J. Newsom | ..... | 295 | 8 | 9 | 21 | 281 | 6 | 3 |
| 11 | Harrisonburg | J. J. Kelley | ..... | 235 | ..... | 2 | 1 | 236 | ..... | 3 |
| 12 | Jena | W. D. Kleinschmidt | ..... | 278 | 26 | 2 | 88 | 218 | 4 | 6 |
| 13 | Marksville | W. B. Perritt | 1 | 218 | 27 | 2 | 92 | 155 | 4 | 18 |
| 14 | Melville | P. A. Swann | .... | 276 | 3 | 1 | 51 | 229 | 3 | 30 |
| 15 | Merryville | D. C. Bennett | ..... | 79 | 18 | 14 | 3 | 108 | 18 | 2 |
| 16 | Natchitoches | R. H. Harper | 2 | 384 | 9 | 10 | 208 | 195 | 1 | ..... |
| 17 | Opelousas | G. A. Morgan | 1 | 240 | 32 | 40 | 6 | 307 | 9 | 10 |
| 18 | Pollock | C. B. Powell | ..... | 105 | 8 | 8 | 4 | 117 | 1 | 6 |
| 19 | Provencal | G. A. Morgan | ..... | ..... | 1 | 190 | ..... | 191 | ..... | ..... |
| 20 | Selma | J. A. Alford | ..... | 35 | 1 | 7 | 4 | 39 | 1 | ..... |
| 21 | Standard | H. W. Ledbetter | ..... | ..... | 20 | 96 | 2 | 114 | 13 | 5 |
| 22 | Trout | C. F. Sheppard | ..... | 37 | 3 | 8 | 14 | 34 | ..... | 1 |
| | Total | | 6 | 4,492 | 298 | 699 | 1,061 | 4,419 | 130 | 144 |

## BATON ROUGE DISTRICT.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Amite City | H. W. Bowman | 1 | 188 | 37 | 5 | 20 | 210 | 24 | 2 |
| 2 | Baker | S. D. Howard | ..... | 525 | 10 | 2 | 199 | 338 | 6 | 23 |
| 3 | Baton Rouge: 1st Ch. | W. W. Drake | ..... | 568 | 53 | 52 | 65 | 608 | 22 | 21 |
| 4 | Second Church | George P. White | ..... | 214 | 40 | 30 | 7 | 277 | 6 | 40 |
| 5 | Clinton and Jackson | J. M. Brown | ..... | 209 | 4 | 5 | 12 | 206 | 1 | 6 |
| 6 | Denham Springs | R. Y. Fulton | 1 | 406 | 19 | 9 | 31 | 403 | 4 | 11 |
| 7 | East Feliciana | J. W. Faulk | ..... | 275 | 60 | 55 | 10 | 380 | 25 | 26 |
| 8 | Franklinton | L. C. Wilson | ..... | 452 | 45 | 28 | 17 | 508 | 13 | 10 |
| 9 | Hammond | Elton Wilson | ..... | 197 | 5 | 18 | 14 | 201 | 2 | 9 |
| 10 | Kentwood | R. S. Walton | ..... | 210 | 10 | 42 | 46 | 216 | 3 | 17 |
| 11 | Mt. Hermon | J. W. Harper | ..... | 185 | 13 | 17 | 85 | 130 | 5 | 2 |
| 12 | New Roads Mission | Wilson Brown | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 13 | Pine Grove | W. A. Mangum | .... | 207 | 5 | 17 | 4 | 225 | 4 | 4 |
| 14 | Plaquemine | H. B. Perritt | ..... | 50 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 56 | 2 | 3 |
| 15 | Ponchatoula | J. A. McCormick | 1 | 265 | 15 | 1 | 31 | 250 | 12 | 10 |
| 16 | Port Vincent | J. W. Brown | ..... | 249 | 11 | 3 | 3 | 260 | 1 | 29 |
| 17 | St. Francisville | S. L. Riggs | ..... | 183 | 17 | ..... | 30 | 170 | 17 | 8 |
| 18 | St. Helena | J. B. Fulton | 1 | 437 | 6 | ..... | 39 | 404 | 2 | 22 |
| 19 | Tickfaw | H. C. Murphy | 1 | 192 | 10 | ..... | 4 | 198 | 1 | 21 |
| 20 | Wilson | F. N. Sweeny | 1 | 483 | 4 | 9 | 156 | 340 | 3 | 18 |
| 21 | Zachary | J. D. Harper | ..... | 198 | 2 | ..... | ..... | 200 | ..... | 5 |
| | Total | | 6 | 5,693 | 368 | 299 | 774 | 5,580 | 153 | 287 |

## LAFAYETTE DISTRICT.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Bell City | Louis Hoffpauir | ..... | 176 | 6 | 1 | 56 | 127 | 1 | 6 |
| 2 | Church Point | H. B. Vandenburg | ..... | 185 | 28 | 5 | 7 | 211 | 12 | 20 |
| 3 | Crowley | C. D. Atkinson | ..... | 487 | 22 | 23 | 118 | 414 | 3 | 19 |
| 4 | Eunice | J. O. Bennett | ..... | 213 | 1 | 13 | 113 | 114 | 1 | 3 |
| 5 | Franklin | C. C. Wier | ..... | 225 | 29 | 13 | 14 | 253 | 2 | 17 |
| 6 | Grand Chenier | Ed Stein | 1 | ..... | ..... | 59 | ..... | 59 | ..... | 1 |
| 7 | Gueydan & Abbeville | J. D. Nesom | ..... | 228 | ..... | 14 | 22 | 220 | ..... | 5 |
| 8 | Houma Mission | C. V. Breithaupt | ..... | 152 | 66 | 17 | 11 | 224 | 1 | 11 |
| 9 | Indian Bayou | J. S. Rutledge | 2 | 448 | 35 | 80 | 10 | 553 | ..... | 70 |
| 10 | Jeanerette | M. C. Holt | ..... | 70 | ..... | 6 | 3 | 73 | ..... | 2 |
| 11 | Jennings | J. I. Hoffpauir | ..... | 79 | 12 | 98 | 8 | 181 | 2 | 2 |
| 12 | Lafayette | H. N. Harrison | ..... | 211 | 17 | 7 | 4 | 235 | 3 | 20 |
| 13 | Lake Arthur | A. S. J. Neill | 1 | 180 | 1 | 12 | 9 | 185 | ..... | ..... |
| 14 | Lake Charles | T. J. Warlick | ..... | 512 | 15 | 54 | 50 | 531 | 5 | 12 |
| 15 | Morgan City | H. N. Brown | ..... | 237 | 6 | 1 | 18 | 226 | ..... | 29 |
| 16 | New Iberia | K. W. Dodson | 1 | 294 | 12 | 14 | 9 | 311 | 12 | 14 |
| 17 | Patterson | John Sholars | ..... | 110 | 1 | ..... | 3 | 108 | ..... | 5 |
| 18 | Rayne | A. A. Bernard | ..... | 203 | ..... | 6 | 126 | 83 | ..... | ..... |
| 19 | St. Martinville | Martin Hebert | 1 | 86 | 13 | 4 | 2 | 101 | ..... | 18 |
| 20 | Sulphur | A. J. Bonnett | ..... | 161 | 20 | 6 | 10 | 177 | 12 | 7 |
| 21 | Vermillion | J. H. Hoffpauir | 1 | 158 | 1 | 15 | 2 | 172 | ..... | 12 |
| | Total | | 7 | 4,415 | 285 | 448 | 595 | 4,558 | 54 | 273 |

# Table No. I.—Membership, Baptisms, and Church Property.

## ALEXANDRIA DISTRICT.

| Societies in Charge. | Houses of Worship. Number. | Value. | Indebtedness. | Parsonages. Number. | Value. | Indebtedness. | Value of Other Church Property. | Expended for Churches and Parsonages. | Churches Damaged or Destroyed. No. | Amount Damage. | Insurance Statistics. Insurance Carried. | Premiums Paid. | Loss Collected. | Total, Table 1. | Number. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 3 | $ 45,200 | | 3 | $ 6,700 | | | $ 128 | | | $18,600 | | | $ 128 | 1 |
| 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| 3 | 3 | 4.000 | | 2 | 4,000 | | | 100 | | | 2,750 | $ 35 | | 135 | 3 |
| 3 | 3 | 5,000 | | 1 | 1,200 | | $ 3,700 | | | | 5,000 | 80 | | 80 | 4 |
| 3 | 3 | 4,000 | | | 50 | | | 50 | | | | | | 50 | 5 |
| 3 | 3 | 3,000 | $ 40 | 1 | 1,100 | | 5,000 | 175 | | | | | | 175 | 6 |
| 4 | 2 | 6,880 | | 1 | 2,050 | | | 314 | | | | | | 314 | 7 |
| 1 | 1 | 5.000 | | | | | | | | | 3.000 | | | | 8 |
| 2 | 1 | 800 | | | | | 1,430 | 1,341 | | | | | | 1,341 | 9 |
| 5 | 4 | 2,200 | 50 | 1 | 350 | | | 163 | | | 500 | 6 | | 169 | 10 |
| 4 | 3 | 2,700 | | 1 | 2,500 | | 200 | 200 | | | | | | 200 | 11 |
| 1 | 1 | 4,000 | | 1 | 1,200 | | 800 | 674 | | | 3,000 | | | 674 | 12 |
| 4 | 4 | 7,000 | | | | | 200 | 28 | | | | | | 28 | 13 |
| 6 | 6 | 7,500 | | 2 | 1,400 | | | 60 | | | | | | 60 | 14 |
| 3 | 1 | 900 | 300 | | | | 300 | 600 | | | | | | 600 | 15 |
| 2 | 2 | 4,500 | | 1 | 2,000 | | | 1,371 | | | 4,000 | 48 | | 1,419 | 16 |
| 5 | 4 | 9,000 | | 1 | 1,800 | | | 36 | | | | | | 36 | 17 |
| 3 | 3 | 2,500 | | 1 | 700 | | | 37 | | | 1,800 | 60 | | 97 | 18 |
| 3 | 3 | 800 | | 1 | 300 | | | | | | | | | | 19 |
| 1 | | | | | | | | 8 | | | | | | 8 | 20 |
| 3 | 1 | 800 | | | | | 800 | 830 | | | | | | 830 | 21 |
| 1 | 1 | 3,500 | | | | | | | | | 1,700 | 22 | | 22 | 22 |
| 63 | 115 | $119,280 | $390 | 17 | $25,350 | | $12.430 | $6.115 | | | $40.350 | $251 | | $6,366 | |

## BATON ROUGE DISTRICT.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 1 | $ 10,000 | $1,250 | 1 | $ 2,000 | $ 850 | | | | | $ 5,700 | | | | 1 |
| 4 | 4 | 6,000 | | 1 | 1,250 | | | $ 30 | | | 1,400 | $ 16 | | $ 46 | 2 |
| 1 | 1 | 30,000 | | 1 | 5,000 | | | 716 | | | 2,000 | | | 716 | 3 |
| 2 | 2 | 2,000 | | | | | | 30 | | | | | | 30 | 4 |
| 3 | 3 | 12.500 | 2,000 | 2 | 2,000 | | | 150 | | | | | | 150 | 5 |
| 5 | 5 | 3,000 | | 1 | 500 | | $1,000 | 60 | | | | | | 60 | 6 |
| 6 | 6 | 4,400 | | 1 | 600 | | 200 | 176 | | | | | | 176 | 7 |
| 3 | 4 | 5,450 | 100 | 1 | 2.500 | 135 | 200 | 290 | | | | | | 290 | 8 |
| 1 | 1 | 3,500 | | 1 | 1,650 | 886 | | 143 | | | 2,000 | 21 | | 164 | 9 |
| 1 | 1 | 2,000 | | 1 | 1,500 | | | 173 | | | 4,500 | 19 | | 192 | 10 |
| 4 | 2 | 1,500 | 195 | | | | 80 | | | | 700 | 7 | | 7 | 11 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 12 |
| 5 | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 13 |
| 1 | 1 | 4,500 | | 2 | 3.600 | | 200 | 47 | | | | | | 47 | 14 |
| 3 | 3 | 13,000 | | 1 | 1,000 | | | 205 | | | 3,000 | 20 | | 225 | 15 |
| 5 | 5 | 4,750 | | 1 | 1,000 | | | 250 | | | | | | 250 | 16 |
| 4 | 4 | 6,000 | | 1 | 1,250 | | | 185 | | | 750 | | | 185 | 17 |
| 6 | 6 | 9,000 | | 1 | 1,500 | | 1,000 | 30 | | | 1,000 | 7 | | 37 | 18 |
| 4 | 3 | 2,000 | | 1 | 200 | | 150 | 100 | | | | | | 100 | 19 |
| 5 | 5 | 3,500 | 125 | 1 | 1,500 | 120 | 500 | 300 | | | 2,500 | | | 300 | 20 |
| 3 | 3 | 7,000 | | 1 | 1,500 | | 350 | | | | 2,000 | 11 | | 361 | 21 |
| 67 | 64 | $130,100 | $3,670 | 19 | $28,550 | $1,991 | $3,680 | $2.885 | | | $25.550 | $101 | | $3,336 | |

## LAFAYETTE DISTRICT.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 3 | 3 | $ 2,500 | | 1 | $ 500 | | $ 60 | $ 84 | | | | | | $ 84 | 1 |
| 4 | 4 | 3,000 | | 1 | 500 | | 50 | 20 | | | | | | 20 | 2 |
| 1 | 1 | 4,500 | | 1 | 3.000 | | | 250 | | | $ 2,500 | | | 250 | 3 |
| 2 | 2 | 2.000 | | 1 | 1,700 | | | 261 | | | | | | 261 | 4 |
| 1 | 1 | 6,000 | | 1 | 5,000 | | 600 | 68 | | | 5,000 | $ 90 | | 158 | 5 |
| 2 | 3 | 850 | | | | | 100 | | | | | | | | 6 |
| 2 | 2 | 5,000 | | 2 | 4,000 | | | 50 | | | | | | 50 | 7 |
| 7 | 3 | 1.200 | | 1 | 1.200 | | 2,000 | | | | 800 | | | | 8 |
| 3 | 3 | 3,700 | | 1 | 1,100 | | 450 | 25 | | | | | | 25 | 9 |
| 1 | 1 | 6.500 | | | | | | 250 | | | 3.000 | 14 | | 264 | 10 |
| 3 | 2 | 5.000 | | | | | | | 1 | $150 | 1,300 | | $150 | | 11 |
| 1 | 1 | 3,000 | | 2 | 6.000 | $1,000 | | 217 | | | 5.850 | 40 | | 257 | 12 |
| 1 | 1 | 3.000 | | 1 | 1,500 | | | | | | | | | | 13 |
| 1 | 2 | 12.500 | | 1 | 6,500 | | | | | | 9,150 | | 40 | | 14 |
| 2 | 3 | 12.500 | | 1 | 5,000 | | 1,700 | 3,550 | | | 7,500 | 229 | | 3,779 | 15 |
| 1 | 1 | 20,000 | | 1 | 1,800 | | 1,500 | 800 | | | 11,500 | 98 | | 898 | 16 |
| 1 | 1 | 4,200 | | 1 | 2,500 | | | 141 | | | 3.050 | | | 141 | 17 |
| 1 | 1 | 3.600 | | 1 | 900 | | | 138 | | | 1,700 | 18 | | 156 | 18 |
| 4 | 3 | 3,000 | | 2 | 1,500 | | 400 | 55 | | | 1,800 | 12 | | 67 | 19 |
| 2 | 2 | 4,500 | | 1 | 1,000 | | 1,200 | 215 | | | | | | 215 | 20 |
| 3 | 2 | 1,900 | | 1 | 750 | | | 78 | | | | | | 78 | 21 |
| 46 | 42 | $108,450 | | 21 | $44,450 | $1,000 | $8,060 | $6,202 | 1 | $150 | $53.150 | $501 | $190 | $6,703 | |

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## MONROE DISTRICT.

| Number. | Name of Charge. | Pastor Reporting. | Local Preachers. | Members Reported Last Year. | Additions on Profession of Faith. | Additions by Certificate or Otherwise. | Removals by Death and Otherwise. | Present Total Membership. | Adults Baptized. | Infants Baptized. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Bastrop | George Fox | ..... | 185 | ..... | 1 | ..... | 186 | ..... | ..... |
| 2 | Bonita | W. E. Akin | ..... | 184 | 14 | ..... | 2 | 196 | 12 | 1 |
| 3 | Brooklyn | Elisha Napper | 4 | 167 | 16 | 6 | 8 | 181 | 16 | ..... |
| 4 | Calhoun | E. C. Grice | ..... | 539 | 19 | 6 | 212 | 352 | 6 | 12 |
| 5 | Eros | G. D. Purcell | 2 | 286 | 8 | 165 | 55 | 406 | 6 | 10 |
| 6 | Farmerville | S. D. Roberts | ..... | 231 | 5 | ..... | 86 | 150 | 3 | 1 |
| 7 | Florence | S. S. Bogan | 1 | 234 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 238 | 2 | 9 |
| 8 | Gilbert | W. L. Hunter | ..... | 334 | 3 | ..... | 10 | 327 | 3 | ..... |
| 9 | Lake Providence | J. W. Lee | ..... | 128 | 1 | 4 | 12 | 121 | ..... | 4 |
| 10 | Mangham | S. W. B. Colvin | ..... | 214 | ..... | ..... | 136 | 78 | ..... | ..... |
| 11 | Mer Rouge | A. F. Vaughan | ..... | 164 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 176 | 6 | 2 |
| 12 | Monroe | T. J. Norsworthy | ..... | 676 | 6 | 18 | 25 | 675 | ..... | ..... |
| 13 | Oak Grove | L. N. Hoffpauir | 1 | 387 | 8 | 3 | 210 | 189 | 9 | ..... |
| 14 | Rayville | J. M. Alford | ..... | 260 | 10 | 7 | 5 | 272 | 3 | ..... |
| 15 | Tallulah | C. F. Staples | ..... | 106 | 9 | 13 | 5 | 113 | 1 | 2 |
| 16 | Waterproof | P. H. Fontaine | ..... | 144 | 3 | 2 | 6 | 143 | 4 | 5 |
| 17 | West Monroe | E. B. Troy | ..... | 95 | 17 | 26 | 2 | 136 | 5 | 13 |
| 18 | Winnsboro | W. F. Henderson | ..... | 332 | ..... | 8 | 4 | 336 | ..... | 21 |
| | Total | | 8 | 4,666 | 128 | 270 | 782 | 4.275 | 76 | 80 |

## NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Bogalusa | L. I. McCain | 1 | 149 | 68 | 82 | 14 | 285 | 45 | ..... |
| 2 | Donaldsonville & Vac | C. M. Thompson | 2 | 74 | 1 | 6 | 8 | 73 | 1 | 2 |
| 3 | New Orleans: Algiers | J. W. Booth | ..... | 277 | 8 | 3 | 8 | 280 | ..... | 18 |
| 4 | Carrollton Avenue | J. G. Snelling | ..... | 247 | 16 | 9 | 49 | 213 | 1 | 13 |
| 5 | Epworth | W. L. Doss, Jr | ..... | 158 | 2 | 19 | 24 | 155 | ..... | 8 |
| 6 | Felicity Street | C. A. Battle | ..... | 213 | 16 | 13 | 14 | 228 | 3 | 9 |
| 7 | First Church | J. W. Moore | 1 | 543 | 32 | 64 | 47 | 592 | 7 | 5 |
| 8 | Louisiana Avenue | J. L. Sutton | 1 | 215 | 31 | 7 | 12 | 241 | 4 | 8 |
| 9 | Mary Werlein | J. W. Moore and W. W. Holmes. | ..... | 105 | 16 | 1 | 36 | 86 | ..... | 4 |
| 10 | McDonoghville | A. J. Gearhead | 1 | 53 | 17 | 18 | 2 | 86 | ..... | 3 |
| 11 | Parker Memorial | H. R. Singleton | ..... | 215 | 31 | 60 | 30 | 276 | 2 | 7 |
| 12 | Rayne Memorial | A. G. Shankle | 1 | 464 | 8 | 39 | 50 | 461 | 1 | 6 |
| 13 | Second Church | W. E. Thomas | ..... | 302 | 40 | 10 | 102 | 250 | 5 | 15 |
| 14 | Slidell and Covington | T. D. Lipscomb | .... | 312 | 12 | 28 | 18 | 334 | ..... | 40 |
| 15 | St. Tammany Circuit | T. V. Peters | 1 | 174 | 91 | 13 | 8 | 270 | 27 | 16 |
| | Total | | 8 | 3,501 | 389 | 372 | 422 | 3,830 | 96 | 154 |

## RUSTON DISTRICT.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Arcadia | A. I. Townsley | ..... | 142 | 7 | 18 | 4 | 161 | 2 | 9 |
| 2 | Benton | H. W. Cudd | ..... | 110 | ..... | ..... | 54 | 56 | ..... | ..... |
| 3 | Bernice | J. C. Price | ..... | 372 | 16 | 11 | 48 | 351 | 15 | 1 |
| 4 | Bienville | W. T. Woodward | 1 | 293 | 34 | 31 | 35 | 323 | 30 | ..... |
| 5 | Boyd Mission | D. L. Griffin | ..... | 50 | 9 | 135 | 3 | 191 | 7 | 6 |
| 6 | Cotton Valley | R. Randle | ..... | 222 | 4 | 2 | ..... | 225 | 4 | 2 |
| 7 | Haughton | J. G. Sloane | ..... | 346 | 107 | 30 | 30 | 453 | 50 | 7 |
| 8 | Haynesville | G. D. Anders | ..... | 482 | 24 | 4 | 2 | 508 | 8 | 4 |
| 9 | Haynesville Mission | J. E. Craig | ..... | 111 | 2 | ..... | 1 | 112 | ..... | 4 |
| 10 | Homer | A. S. Lutz | 1 | 352 | ..... | 5 | 24 | 334 | ..... | 3 |
| 11 | Plain Dealing | T. J. Embree | ..... | 225 | 6 | 5 | 16 | 220 | 4 | 6 |
| 12 | Gibsland | A. H. Parker | 1 | 277 | 13 | 13 | 71 | 232 | 13 | 6 |
| 13 | Jonesboro | O. L. Tucker | ..... | 128 | 8 | 11 | 4 | 143 | 8 | 3 |
| 14 | Lanesville | W. J. Porter | .... | 392 | 12 | 6 | 29 | 381 | 4 | 13 |
| 15 | Lisbon | J. B. Williams | 1 | 631 | 37 | ..... | 5 | 664 | 23 | ..... |
| 16 | Minden | E. K. Means | ..... | 277 | 23 | 30 | 10 | 320 | 2 | 3 |
| 17 | Ringgold | L. E. Crooks | 1 | 300 | 17 | 15 | 16 | 316 | 15 | ..... |
| 18 | Ruston | W. H. Coleman | 1 | 697 | 17 | 25 | 42 | 697 | 7 | 2 |
| 19 | Simsboro | J. L. Lay | 1 | 274 | 50 | 11 | 11 | 324 | 25 | 4 |
| 20 | Vernon | R. H. Bamburg | 1 | 301 | 10 | 10 | 30 | 291 | 10 | 5 |
| 21 | Winnfield | L. A. Humphries | ..... | 146 | 13 | 15 | 9 | 165 | 7 | 8 |
| | Total | | 8 | 6,128 | 409 | 377 | 444 | 6.467 | 234 | 86 |

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## MONROE DISTRICT.

| Societies in Charge. | Houses of Worship. | | | Parsonages. | | | Value of Other Church Property. | Expended for Churches and Parsonages. | Churches Damaged or Destroyed. | | Insurance Statistics. | | | Total, Table 1. | Number. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Number. | Value. | Indebtedness. | Number. | Value. | Indebtedness. | | | No. | Amount Damage. | Insurance Carried. | Premiums Paid. | Loss Collected. | | |
| 3 | 3 | $ 6,200 | ..... | 1 | $ 1,500 | ..... | ..... | $ 233 | ... | ..... | $ 900 | $ 19 | ..... | $ 252 | 1 |
| 6 | 5 | 6,200 | ..... | 1 | 1,000 | $ 64 | $ 120 | 75 | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 75 | 2 |
| 5 | 5 | 2,000 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 3 |
| 7 | 7 | 3,300 | ..... | 1 | 300 | ..... | 375 | 600 | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 600 | 4 |
| 5 | 4 | 4,000 | $75 | 1 | 1,000 | ..... | ..... | 45 | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 45 | 5 |
| 3 | 2 | 4,000 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 100 | ..... | ... | $1,000 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 6 |
| 6 | 6 | 5,500 | ..... | 1 | 1,500 | ..... | ..... | 100 | 2 | 200 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 100 | 7 |
| 3 | 3 | 2,300 | ..... | 1 | 1,550 | ..... | 650 | 50 | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 50 | 8 |
| 1 | 1 | 1,200 | ..... | 1 | 2,500 | ..... | ..... | 111 | ... | ..... | 600 | 36 | ..... | 147 | 9 |
| 3 | 3 | 4.500 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 10 |
| 2 | 2 | 3,500 | ..... | 1 | 1,500 | ..... | ..... | 176 | ... | ..... | 1,800 | 35 | ..... | 211 | 11 |
| 1 | 1 | 32,000 | ..... | 2 | 13,000 | 2,500 | ..... | 200 | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 200 | 12 |
| 3 | 3 | 4,000 | ..... | 1 | 1,500 | ..... | 100 | 3,000 | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 3,000 | 13 |
| 2 | 2 | 4,000 | ..... | 2 | 3,500 | ..... | 456 | 263 | ... | ..... | 1,500 | 21 | ..... | 284 | 14 |
| 2 | 2 | 4,500 | ..... | 1 | 2,800 | ..... | 500 | 75 | ... | ..... | 1 500 | 12 | ..... | 87 | 15 |
| 3 | 2 | 3,750 | ..... | 1 | 1,000 | ..... | ..... | 172 | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 172 | 16 |
| 3 | 3 | 5,500 | ..... | 1 | 700 | ..... | ..... | 200 | ... | ..... | 1,200 | ..... | ..... | 200 | 17 |
| 3 | 2 | 3,500 | ..... | 1 | 1,500 | ..... | 200 | 32 | ... | ..... | 800 | 11 | ..... | 43 | 18 |
| 61 | 56 | $96,350 | $75 | 17 | $34,850 | $2,564 | $2,501 | $5,332 | 2 | $1,200 | $8,300 | $134 | ..... | $5,466 | |

## NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| ..... | ..... | $ 2,750 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | $ 100 | ..... | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 |
| 4 | 2 | 5,000 | ..... ..... | 1 | $ 2,000 | $ 800 | ..... | $ 42 | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | $ 42 | 2 |
| 1 | 1 | 6,000 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1,900 | 20 | ... | ..... | $ 5,800 | $ 13 | ..... | 33 | 3 |
| 1 | 2 | 11,500 | $ 800 | 1 | 5,500 | ..... | ..... | 52 | ... | ..... | 7,900 | ..... | ..... | 52 | 4 |
| 1 | 1 | 9,000 | 320 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 354 | ... | ..... | 4,000 | ..... | ..... | 354 | 5 |
| 1 | 1 | 30,000 | ..... | ..... | 5,000 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ... | ..... | 28,000 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 6 |
| 1 | 1 | 100,000 | 23,000 | 1 | 8,500 | 1,150 | ..... | ..... | ... | ..... | 56,350 | 452 | ..... | 452 | 7 |
| 1 | 1 | 30,000 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 365 | 244 | ... | ..... | 17,150 | 99 | ..... | 343 | 8 |
| 1 | 1 | 2,500 | ..... ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 250 | 121 | ... | ..... | 2,500 | 18 | ..... | 139 | 9 |
| 1 | 2 | 4,500 | ..... | 1 | 3,000 | 1,000 | ..... | 1,693 | 1 | $75 | 5,000 | 69 | ..... | 1,762 | 10 |
| 1 | 1 | 33,000 | 10,400 | 1 | 3,000 | ..... | ..... | 1,805 | ... | ..... | 10,000 | 35 | ..... | 1,840 | 11 |
| 1 | 1 | 60,000 | ..... | 1 | 12,500 | 8,975 | ..... | 1,771 | ... | ..... | 36,000 | 88 | ..... | 1,859 | 12 |
| 1 | 1 | 6,000 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1,703 | ... | ..... | 1,000 | 24 | ..... | 1,727 | 13 |
| 4 | 3 | 8,000 | ..... | 2 | 2,500 | 600 | 1,200 | 228 | ... | ..... | 4,000 | 51 | ..... | 279 | 14 |
| 7 | 3 | 3,200 | 700 | 1 | 1.000 | ..... | 1,000 | 600 | ... | ..... | 1,000 | ..... | ..... | 600 | 15 |
| 26 | 21 | $311,450 | $35,220 | 9 | $43,000 | $12,525 | $4.815 | $8,633 | 1 | $75 | $178,700 | $849 | ..... | $4,482 | |

## RUSTON DISTRICT.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 1 | $ 3,500 | ..... | 1 | $ 1,500 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ... | ..... | $ 3,500 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 |
| ..... | 1 | 2,500 | ..... | 1 | 1,500 | ..... | $ 250 | ..... ..... | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 2 |
| 4 | 4 | 4.000 | ..... | 1 | 1,500 | ..... | ..... | $ 20 | 1 | $ 34 | 3,000 | $ 78 | $34 | $ 98 | 3 |
| 5 | 5 | 3,000 | ..... | 1 | 1,000 | ..... | ..... | 500 | 1 | 20 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 500 | 4 |
| 4 | 4 | 1,800 | $ 280 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1,000 | .. | ..... | 500 | 20 | ..... | 1,020 | 5 |
| 4 | 3 | 2,250 | ..... | 1 | 1,000 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 6 |
| 5 | 5 | 9,550 | 477 | 1 | 1,800 | ..... | 150 | 940 | ... | ..... | 1,500 | 5 | ..... | 945 | 7 |
| 4 | 4 | 4.600 | ..... | 1 | 1,200 | ..... | ..... | 1,060 | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1,060 | 8 |
| 4 | 3 | 1,800 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 200 | ..... | ... | ..... | 100 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 9 |
| 1 | 1 | 18,000 | 2,000 | 1 | 2,000 | ..... | ..... | 1,141 | ... | ..... | 7,000 | 150 | ..... | 1,291 | 10 |
| 4 | 4 | 2.000 | ..... | 1 | 1,200 | $440 | ..... | 5 | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 5 | 11 |
| 3 | 3 | 2,500 | ..... | 1 | 1,000 | ..... | 300 | 30 | ... | ..... | 800 | 16 | ..... | 46 | 12 |
| 4 | 2 | 3,000 | ..... | 1 | 1,500 | ..... | ..... | 110 | ... | ..... | 1,000 | ..... | ..... | 110 | 13 |
| 5 | 6 | 4,400 | ..... | 1 | 1,500 | ..... | 300 | 800 | ... | ..... | 400 | 6 | ..... | 806 | 14 |
| 5 | 5 | 4,500 | ..... ..... | 1 | 1,500 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 15 |
| 1 | 1 | 25,000 | ..... | 1 | 1,500 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ... | ..... | 16,500 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 16 |
| 5 | 4 | 2,500 | ..... | 1 | 900 | ..... | 200 | ..... | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 17 |
| 1 | 1 | 25,000 | 3,000 | 1 | 7,000 | ..... | 37,000 | 3,000 | ... | ..... | 17,000 | ..... | ..... | 3,000 | 18 |
| 5 | 5 | 3,000 | 200 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 100 | ..... | 1 | 50 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 19 |
| 5 | 3 | 2,000 | ..... | 1 | 1,000 | ..... | ..... | 280 | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 280 | 20 |
| 1 | 1 | 2,500 | ..... | 1 | 1,500 | ..... | ..... | 70 | ... | ..... | 500 | 14 | ..... | 74 | 21 |
| 71 | 66 | $127,400 | $5,957 | 18 | $30.100 | $440 | $38,500 | $8 956 | 3 | $104 | $51,800 | $289 | $34 | $9.235 | |

# Table No. I.—Membership, Baptisms, and Church Property.

## SHREVEPORT DISTRICT.

| Number. | Name of Charge. | Pastor Reporting. | Local Preachers. | Members Reported Last Year. | Additions on Profession of Faith. | Additions by Certificateor Otherwise. | Removals by Death and Otherwise. | Present Total Membership. | Adults Baptized. | Infants Baptized. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Anacoco | John Franklin. | 2 | 225 | 37 | 3 | 4 | 261 | 29 | 20 |
| 2 | Bayou Lachute | C. M. Morris | ..... | 35 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 35 | 1 | 2 |
| 3 | Bossier City | J. L. Cady | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 4 | Coushatta | R. A. Davis | ..... | 321 | 6 | ..... | 202 | 125 | ..... | 5 |
| 5 | Grand Cane | W. R. Harvell | 3 | 196 | 11 | 15 | 6 | 216 | 4 | 2 |
| 6 | Grand Cane Mission | H. J. Boltz | 1 | 141 | 21 | 2 | 8 | 156 | 13 | 6 |
| 7 | Greenwood and Dixie. | W. F. Roberts | ..... | 122 | 15 | 12 | 3 | 146 | 6 | 4 |
| 8 | Ida | F. J. McCoy | ..... | 174 | 24 | 28 | 46 | 180 | 4 | 19 |
| 9 | Keatchie | H. T. Young | 1 | 250 | 15 | 9 | 5 | 270 | 8 | 10 |
| 10 | Leesville | V. D. Skipper | 1 | 213 | 1 | 9 | 7 | 214 | 1 | 2 |
| 11 | Mansfield | T. H. Morris | ..... | 376 | 19 | 46 | 189 | 252 | 7 | 3 |
| 12 | Many | B. H. Sheppard | ..... | 282 | ..... | 10 | 149 | 143 | ..... | ..... |
| 13 | Mooringsport | F. R. Power | ..... | 85 | 10 | 9 | 12 | 92 | 8 | 1 |
| 14 | Pelican | S. S. Holladay | ..... | 346 | 13 | 5 | 3 | 361 | 10 | 10 |
| 15 | Pleasant Hill | J. F. Waltman | ..... | 363 | 18 | 16 | 6 | 391 | 10 | 3 |
| 16 | Shreveport: 1st Ch'h | G. E. Cameron | 2 | 834 | 60 | 62 | 80 | 876 | 38 | 25 |
| 17 | Noel Memorial | F. R. Hill, Jr. | ..... | 235 | 15 | 55 | 40 | 265 | 4 | ..... |
| 18 | Texas Avenue | W. W. Perry | 3 | 239 | 13 | 67 | 108 | 214 | 6 | 2 |
| 19 | Queensboro | H. W. Jamieson | ..... | 98 | 11 | 55 | 51 | 113 | 10 | 1 |
| 20 | South Mansfield | H. J. Boltz | ..... | 29 | 3 | 2 | 5 | 29 | ..... | ..... |
| 21 | Vivian | C. E. Fike | ..... | 63 | 10 | 12 | 10 | 75 | 10 | 1 |
| 22 | Wesley | T. J. Martin | 1 | ..... | 18 | 235 | 3 | 250 | 11 | ..... |
| 23 | Zwolle | J. C. Rousseaux | ..... | 295 | 92 | 28 | 10 | 405 | 56 | 16 |
| | Total | | 14 | 4,922 | 413 | 682 | 950 | 5,069 | 236 | 132 |

## RECAPITULATION.

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Alexandria District | Briscoe Carter, P. E. | 6 | 4,492 | 298 | 699 | 1,061 | 4,419 | 130 | 144 |
| 2 | Baton Rouge District. | C. C. Miller, P. E | 6 | 5 693 | 368 | 299 | 774 | 5,580 | 153 | 287 |
| 3 | Lafayette District | R. H. Wynn, P. E. | 7 | 4,415 | 285 | 448 | 595 | 4,558 | 54 | 273 |
| 4 | Monroe District | William Schuhle, P. E. | 8 | 4,666 | 128 | 270 | 782 | 4.275 | 76 | 80 |
| 5 | New Orleans District. | J. M. Henry, P. E. | 8 | 3.501 | 389 | 372 | 422 | 3.830 | 96 | 154 |
| 6 | Ruston District | R. W. Tucker, P. E. | 8 | 6.128 | 409 | 377 | 444 | 6,467 | 234 | 86 |
| 7 | Shreveport District | Paul M. Brown, P. E. | 14 | 4 922 | 413 | 682 | 950 | 5.069 | 236 | 132 |
| | Total | | 57 | 33,817 | 2,290 | 3 147 | 5,028 | 34,198 | 979 | 1,156 |
| | Total last year | | 53 | 33,564 | 2,063 | 4,075 | 4,786 | 33.803 | 839 | 915 |
| | Increase | | 4 | 253 | 123 | 72 | 242 | 1,395 | 140 | 241 |
| | Decrease | | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |

# Table No. I.—Membership, Baptisms, and Church Property.

## SHREVEPORT DISTRICT.

| Societies in Charge. | Houses of Worship. | | | Parsonages. | | | Value of Other Church Property. | Expended for Churches and Parsonages. | Churches Damaged or Destroyed. | | Insurance Statistics. | | | Total, Table 1. | Number. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Number. | Value. | Indebtedness. | Number. | Value. | Indebtedness. | | | No. | Amount Damage. | Insurance Carried | Premiums Paid. | Loss Collected. | | |
| 6 | 3 | $ 3,500 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | $ 500 | $ 65 | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | $ 65 | 1 |
| 3 | 3 | 4,500 | ..... | 1 | $ 1,200 | ..... | ..... | 200 | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 200 | 2 |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 3 |
| 4 | 2 | 1,800 | ..... | 1 | 1,500 | ..... | ..... | 400 | ... | ..... | $ 2,000 | $ 16 | ..... | 416 | 4 |
| 3 | 3 | 6,500 | ..... | 1 | 2,000 | ..... | 200 | 71 | ... | ..... | 3,600 | 27 | ..... | 98 | 5 |
| 4 | 3 | 2,000 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 400 | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 400 | 6 |
| 3 | 2 | 1,800 | ..... | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 293 | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 293 | 7 |
| 6 | 3 | 5,700 | ..... | 1 | 1,500 | $ 270 | ..... | ..... | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 8 |
| 4 | 4 | 6,000 | ..... | 1 | 800 | ..... | ..... | 100 | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 100 | 9 |
| 1 | 1 | 4,000 | ..... | 1 | 2,500 | ..... | ..... | 62 | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 62 | 10 |
| 1 | 1 | 24,000 | $4,000 | 1 | 6,000 | ..... | 1,000 | 2,924 | ... | ..... | 3,200 | 170 | ..... | 3,074 | 11 |
| 3 | 3 | 4,500 | ..... | 1 | 1,500 | ..... | 10 | 568 | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 568 | 12 |
| 4 | 4 | 6,000 | 250 | 1 | 1,500 | ..... | ..... | 397 | ... | ..... | 1,000 | 36 | ..... | 433 | 13 |
| 3 | 3 | 2,500 | ..... | 1 | 800 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ... | ..... | 1,200 | 8 | ..... | 8 | 14 |
| 5 | 4 | 4,000 | ..... | 1 | 1,000 | ..... | 500 | ..... | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ... | ..... | 15 |
| 1 | ..... | 100,000 | ..... | 1 | 10,000 | ..... | 75,000 | 20,791 | ... | ..... | 4,000 | 40 | ..... | 20,831 | 16 |
| 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 6,000 | 3,300 | ..... | 1,175 | ... | ..... | 3,000 | 49 | ..... | 1,224 | 17 |
| 1 | 1 | 5,000 | ..... | 1 | 5,000 | 500 | ..... | 104 | ... | ..... | 3,800 | 22 | ..... | 126 | 18 |
| 1 | 1 | 200 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1,500 | ..... | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 19 |
| 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 33 | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 33 | 20 |
| 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 21 |
| 4 | 4 | 1,800 | ..... | 1 | 200 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 22 |
| 3 | 3 | 3,200 | ..... | 1 | 800 | ..... | ..... | 55 | ... | ..... | 1,700 | 26 | ..... | 81 | 23 |
| 63 | 48 | $187,000 | $4,250 | 16 | $42,300 | $4,070 | $78,100 | $27,638 | ... | ..... | $23,500 | $394 | ..... | $28,012 | |

## RECAPITULATION.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 63 | 115 | $ 119,280 | $ 390 | 17 | $ 25,350 | ..... | $ 12,430 | $ 6,115 | ... | ..... | $ 40,350 | $ 251 | ..... | $ 6,366 | 1 |
| 67 | 64 | 130,100 | 3,670 | 19 | 28,550 | $ 1,991 | 3,680 | 2,885 | ... | ..... | 25,550 | 101 | ..... | 3,336 | 2 |
| 46 | 42 | 108,450 | ..... | 21 | 44,450 | 1,000 | 8,060 | 6,202 | 1 | $ 150 | 53,150 | 501 | $190 | 6,703 | 3 |
| 61 | 56 | 96,350 | 75 | 17 | 34,850 | 2,564 | 2,501 | 5,332 | 2 | 1,200 | 8,300 | 134 | ..... | 5,466 | 4 |
| 26 | 21 | 311,450 | 35,220 | 9 | 43,000 | 12,525 | 4,815 | 8,633 | 1 | 75 | 178,700 | 849 | ..... | 4,482 | 5 |
| 71 | 66 | 127,400 | 5,957 | 18 | 30,100 | 440 | 38,500 | 8,956 | 3 | 104 | 51,800 | 289 | 34 | 9,235 | 6 |
| 63 | 48 | 187,000 | 4,250 | 16 | 42,300 | 4,070 | 78,100 | 27,638 | ... | ..... | 23,500 | 394 | ..... | 28,012 | 7 |
| 397 | 412 | $1,080,030 | $49,562 | 117 | $248,600 | $22,590 | $148,086 | $65,761 | 7 | $1,529 | $381,350 | $2,519 | $224 | $63,600 | |
| 375 | 335 | 1,026,780 | 50,860 | 118 | 248,310 | 21,376 | 129,510 | 41,281 | 1 | 15 | 404,950 | 2,779 | ..... | 44,161 | |
| 22 | 77 | $ 53,250 | ..... | ..... | $ 290 | $ 1,114 | $ 18,576 | $24,480 | 6 | $1,514 | ..... | ..... | ..... | $18,439 | |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | $ 298 | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ... | ..... | $ 23,600 | $ 260 | ..... | ..... | |

# Table No. II.—Epworth Leagues, Sunday Schools,

## ALEXANDRIA DISTRICT.

| Number. | Name of Charge. | Epworth Leagues. | | | | | | | | Sunday Schools. | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Senior Leagues. | Members. | Junior Leagues. | Members. | Total Leag'e Members. | Raised by Leagues for Missions. | For Other Objects. | Total Raised by Leagues. | Number. | Number of Officers & Teachers. | Total Number Scholars. | Raised by Sunday Schools for Missions. |
| 1 | Alexandria | 1 | 51 | 1 | 40 | 91 | | $15 00 | $15 00 | 2 | 30 | 460 | |
| 2 | Bon Ami | | | | | | | | | 2 | 14 | 150 | |
| 3 | Boyce and Lecompte | | | | | | | | | 3 | 22 | 200 | |
| 4 | Bunkie | | | | | | | | | 2 | 16 | 215 | |
| 5 | Campti | | | | | | | | | 2 | 13 | 125 | |
| 6 | Colfax | | | | | | | | | 2 | 18 | 200 | |
| 7 | Columbia | 1 | 20 | | | 20 | | 5 00 | 5 00 | 4 | 28 | 230 | $ 18 00 |
| 8 | De Ridder | | | 1 | 30 | 30 | | 20 00 | 20 00 | 1 | 14 | 375 | 40 00 |
| 9 | Elizabeth | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 10 | Glenmora | | | | | | | | | 1 | 4 | 57 | 5 00 |
| 11 | Harrisonburg | | | | | | | | | 4 | 30 | 175 | 12 00 |
| 12 | Jena | | | | | | | | | 1 | 8 | 160 | |
| 13 | Marksville | | | | | | | | | 5 | 30 | 226 | |
| 14 | Melville | | | | | | | | | 4 | 14 | 173 | 6 00 |
| 15 | Merryville | | | | | | | | | 2 | 10 | 200 | 13 00 |
| 16 | Natchitoches | | | | | | | | | 1 | 16 | 213 | |
| 17 | Opelousas | 1 | 18 | | | 18 | | | | 4 | 27 | 230 | 32 00 |
| 18 | Pollock | | | | | | | | | 1 | 10 | 140 | |
| 19 | Provencal | | | | | | | | | 2 | 5 | 40 | |
| 20 | Selma | | | | | | | | | 1 | 10 | 175 | |
| 21 | Standard | | | | | | | | | 2 | 11 | 61 | |
| 22 | Trout | | | | | | | | | 1 | 11 | 95 | |
| | Total | 3 | 89 | 2 | 70 | 159 | | $40 00 | $40 00 | 47 | 341 | 3,900 | $126 00 |

## BATON ROUGE DISTRICT.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Amite City | 1 | | 1 | | | | | | 1 | 13 | 166 | |
| 2 | Baker | | | | | | | | | 3 | 20 | 144 | |
| 3 | Baton Rouge: First Church | 1 | 50 | 1 | 31 | 81 | | $23 00 | $23 00 | 1 | 34 | 560 | $ 61 00 |
| 4 | Second Church | 2 | 68 | | | 68 | | | | 2 | 19 | 220 | |
| 5 | Clinton and Jackson | | | | | | | | | 3 | 20 | 145 | 23 00 |
| 6 | Denham Springs | | | | | | | | | 4 | 26 | 174 | |
| 7 | East Feliciana | 1 | 25 | | | 25 | | | | 5 | 25 | 150 | |
| 8 | Franklinton | | | | | | | | | 3 | 31 | 274 | |
| 9 | Hammond | 1 | 25 | | | 25 | $7 00 | 14 00 | 21 00 | 1 | 12 | 250 | |
| 10 | Kentwood | | | | | | | | | 1 | 11 | 242 | |
| 11 | Mt. Hermon | | | | | | | | | 3 | 16 | 90 | 35 00 |
| 12 | New Roads Mission | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 13 | Pine Grove | | | | | | | | | 2 | 10 | 175 | |
| 14 | Plaquemine | | | | | | | | | 1 | 7 | 50 | |
| 15 | Ponchatoula | | | | | | | | | 3 | 23 | 200 | 18 00 |
| 16 | Port Vincent | | | | | | | | | 5 | 17 | 95 | |
| 17 | St. Francisville | | | | | | | | | 3 | 14 | 110 | 10 00 |
| 18 | St. Helena | | | | | | | | | 4 | 14 | 153 | |
| 19 | Tickfaw | | | | | | | | | 4 | 22 | 186 | |
| 20 | Wilson | 1 | 23 | | | 23 | | 35 00 | 35 00 | 2 | 14 | 126 | |
| 21 | Zachary | | | | | | | | | 3 | 20 | 150 | |
| | Total | 7 | 191 | 2 | 31 | 222 | $7 00 | $72 00 | $79 00 | 54 | 368 | 3,660 | $147 00 |

## LAFAYETTE DISTRICT.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Bell City | 1 | 16 | 1 | 21 | 37 | $ 5 00 | | $ 5 00 | 3 | 18 | 200 | |
| 2 | Church Point | | | | | | | | | 4 | 15 | 150 | |
| 3 | Crowley | 1 | 24 | | | 24 | 10 00 | $ 24 00 | 34 00 | 2 | 36 | 615 | $100 00 |
| 4 | Eunice | | | | | | | | | 2 | 12 | 100 | |
| 5 | Franklin | 1 | 12 | | | 12 | 20 00 | 40 00 | 60 00 | 1 | 15 | 230 | |
| 6 | Grand Chenier | | | | | | | | | 2 | 13 | 70 | |
| 7 | Gueydan and Abbeville | | | | | | | | | 2 | 17 | 150 | 6 00 |
| 8 | Houma Mission | 1 | 13 | 1 | 9 | 22 | | | | 7 | 21 | 375 | |
| 9 | Indian Bayou | | | | | | | | | 2 | 16 | 250 | |
| 10 | Jeanerette | | | | | | | | | 1 | 6 | 50 | 10 00 |
| 11 | Jennings | 1 | 25 | | | 25 | 10 00 | 15 00 | 25 00 | 3 | 20 | 190 | |
| 12 | Lafayette | 1 | 60 | | | 60 | 20 00 | 56 00 | 76 00 | 1 | 11 | 140 | 100 00 |
| 13 | Lake Arthur | 1 | 40 | | | 40 | 10 00 | 90 00 | 100 00 | 1 | 14 | 170 | 4 00 |
| 14 | Lake Charles | 1 | 85 | | | 85 | 100 00 | 170 00 | 270 00 | 1 | 38 | 570 | 25 00 |
| 15 | Morgan City | | | | | | | | | 2 | 23 | 300 | 36 00 |
| 16 | New Iberia | 1 | 56 | 1 | 48 | 104 | 32 00 | 30 00 | 62 00 | 1 | 17 | 248 | 13 00 |
| 17 | Patterson | | | 1 | 31 | 31 | | 11 00 | 11 00 | 1 | 6 | 63 | 7 00 |
| 18 | Rayne | | | 1 | 14 | 14 | 10 00 | 40 00 | 50 00 | 1 | 9 | 71 | 34 00 |
| 19 | St. Martinville | 1 | 12 | | | 12 | 5 00 | 2 00 | 7 00 | 2 | 10 | 80 | 1 00 |
| 20 | Sulphur | 1 | 30 | | | 30 | | | | 2 | 18 | 140 | 11 00 |
| 21 | Vermillion | | | | | | | | | 3 | 15 | 135 | |
| | Total | 11 | 373 | 5 | 123 | 496 | $222 00 | $478 00 | $700 00 | 44 | 350 | 4,297 | $347 00 |

## and Women's Missionary Societies.

### ALEXANDRIA DISTRICT.

| Sunday Schools. | | | Woman's Foreign Missionary Societies. | | | Woman's Home Mission Societies. | | | Total for All Societies. | Total for This Table. | Less Amount Elsewhere Reported. | Net Total, Table 2. | Number. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| For Children's Day. | For Other Objects. | Total Am't Raised by Sunday Schools. | Societies. | Members. | Amount Money Collected. | Societies. | Members. | Amount Money Collected. | | | | | |
| $15 00 | $ 441 00 | $ 456 00 | 1 | 55 | $165 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | $ 165 00 | $ 636 00 | ..... | $ 636 00 | 1 |
| ..... | 113 00 | 113 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 113 00 | 2 |
| 17 00 | 125 00 | 142 00 | 2 | 21 | 8 00 | 2 | 49 | $ 193 00 | 201 00 | 342 00 | ..... | 343 00 | 3 |
| ..... | 225 00 | 225 00 | 1 | 26 | 142 00 | 1 | 29 | 533 00 | 675 00 | 900 00 | ..... | 900 60 | 4 |
| ..... | 151 00 | 151 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 151 00 | ..... | 151 00 | 5 |
| ..... | 115 00 | 115 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 20 | 193 00 | 193 00 | 308 00 | $ 13 00 | 295 00 | 6 |
| 8 00 | 180 00 | 206 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 18 | 94 00 | 94 00 | 305 00 | ..... | 305 00 | 7 |
| ..... | 121 00 | 161 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 24 | 217 00 | 217 00 | 398 00 | 60 00 | 338 00 | 8 |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 10 | 129 00 | 129 00 | 129 00 | ..... | 129 00 | 9 |
| ..... | 25 00 | 30 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 30 00 | ..... | 30 00 | 10 |
| ..... | 175 00 | 187 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 187 00 | ..... | 187 00 | 11 |
| 10 00 | 85 00 | 95 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 95 00 | ..... | 95 00 | 12 |
| ..... | 48 00 | 48 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 48 00 | ..... | 48 00 | 13 |
| ..... | 18 00 | 24 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 24 00 | 24 00 | ..... | 14 |
| ..... | 45 00 | 58 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 23 | 377 00 | 377 00 | 435 00 | ..... | 435 00 | 15 |
| ..... | 151 00 | 151 00 | 1 | 32 | 95 00 | 1 | 35 | 327 00 | 422 00 | 573 00 | 210 00 | 363 00 | 16 |
| ..... | 150 00 | 182 00 | 2 | 25 | 130 00 | 1 | 6 | 124 00 | 254 00 | 436 00 | 32 00 | 404 00 | 17 |
| ..... | 107 00 | 107 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 107 00 | 12 00 | 95 00 | 18 |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 19 |
| ..... | 88 00 | 88 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 88 00 | ..... | 88 00 | 20 |
| 5 00 | 24 00 | 29 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 10 | 420 00 | 420 00 | 449 00 | ..... | 449 00 | 21 |
| 1 00 | 40 00 | 40 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 40 00 | ..... | 40 00 | 22 |
| $56 00 | $2,427 00 | $2,608 00 | 7 | 159 | $540 00 | 11 | 224 | $2,607 00 | $3,147 00 | $5,682 00 | $351 00 | $5,444 00 | |

### BATON ROUGE DISTRICT.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| ..... | $ 115 00 | $ 115 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 32 | $ 180 00 | $ 180 00 | $ 295 00 | ..... | $ 295 00 | 1 |
| $ 5 00 | 16 00 | 21 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 11 | 36 00 | 36 00 | 57 00 | $ 21 00 | 36 00 | 2 |
| 12 00 | 315 00 | 388 00 | 1 | 43 | $166 00 | 1 | 21 | 45 00 | 211 00 | 622 00 | ..... | 622 00 | 3 |
| 10 00 | 153 00 | 163 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 163 00 | 18 00 | 145 00 | 4 |
| 8 00 | 123 00 | 154 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 154 00 | ..... | 154 00 | 5 |
| 3 00 | 36 00 | 39 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 39 00 | 10 00 | 29 00 | 6 |
| 16 00 | 30 00 | 46 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 46 00 | ..... | 46 00 | 7 |
| ..... | 135 00 | 135 00 | 1 | 14 | 7 00 | 2 | 38 | 278 00 | 285 00 | 420 00 | ..... | 420 00 | 8 |
| ..... | 133 00 | 133 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 32 | 251 00 | 251 00 | 405 00 | 262 00 | 143 00 | 9 |
| 6 00 | 70 00 | 76 00 | 1 | 9 | 2 00 | 1 | 26 | 68 00 | 70 00 | 146 00 | 19 00 | 127 00 | 10 |
| ..... | ..... | 35 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 35 00 | ..... | 35 00 | 11 |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 12 |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 20 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 13 |
| ..... | 46 00 | 46 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 46 00 | ..... | 46 00 | 14 |
| ..... | 177 00 | 195 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 19 | 43 00 | 43 00 | 238 00 | ..... | 238 00 | 15 |
| 13 00 | ..... | 13 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 13 00 | ..... | 13 00 | 16 |
| ..... | 50 00 | 50 00 | 1 | 12 | 10 00 | 1 | 8 | 163 00 | 173 00 | 233 00 | 153 00 | 80 00 | 17 |
| ..... | 22 00 | 22 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 22 00 | ..... | 22 00 | 18 |
| ..... | 42 00 | 42 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 42 00 | ..... | 42 00 | 19 |
| ..... | 67 00 | 67 00 | 1 | 11 | 200 00 | 1 | 44 | 316 00 | 516 00 | 818 00 | 500 00 | 318 00 | 20 |
| 9 00 | 86 00 | 95 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 95 00 | ..... | 95 00 | 21 |
| $82 00 | $1,616 00 | $1,835 00 | 5 | 89 | $385 00 | 11 | 251 | $1,380 00 | $1,765 00 | $3,889 00 | $983 00 | $2,906 00 | |

### LAFAYETTE DISTRICT.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| $ 2 00 | $ 87 00 | $ 89 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | $ 94 00 | $ 7 00 | $ 87 00 | 1 |
| 4 00 | 32 00 | 36 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 36 00 | ..... | 36 00 | 2 |
| 16 00 | 484 00 | 600 00 | 1 | 52 | $159 00 | 1 | 34 | $2,218 00 | $2,377 00 | 3,011 00 | ..... | 3,011 00 | 3 |
| ..... | 163 00 | 163 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 14 | 95 00 | 95 00 | 258 00 | 30 00 | 228 00 | 4 |
| ..... | 175 00 | 175 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 235 00 | ..... | 235 00 | 5 |
| ..... | 40 00 | 40 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 40 00 | ..... | 40 00 | 6 |
| ..... | 144 00 | 150 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 22 | 75 00 | 75 00 | 225 00 | 56 00 | 169 00 | 7 |
| ..... | 59 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 18 | 350 00 | 350 00 | 409 00 | ..... | 409 00 | 8 |
| ..... | 75 00 | 75 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 75 00 | ..... | 75 00 | 9 |
| ..... | 78 00 | 88 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 88 00 | 53 00 | 35 00 | 10 |
| ..... | 125 00 | 126 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 151 00 | 10 00 | 141 00 | 11 |
| ..... | 212 00 | 312 00 | 1 | 25 | 95 00 | 1 | 45 | 274 00 | 369 00 | 757 00 | 112 00 | 645 00 | 12 |
| 11 00 | 137 00 | 152 00 | 1 | 8 | ..... | 1 | 13 | 128 00 | 128 00 | 380 00 | 37 00 | 343 00 | 13 |
| 15 00 | 435 00 | 475 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 745 00 | 78 00 | 667 00 | 14 |
| 12 00 | 221 00 | 269 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 38 | 438 00 | 438 00 | 707 00 | 444 00 | 263 00 | 15 |
| 13 00 | 244 00 | 270 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 332 00 | ..... | 332 00 | 16 |
| 6 00 | 54 00 | 67 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 78 00 | ..... | 78 00 | 17 |
| 4 00 | 134 00 | 172 00 | 1 | 6 | 16 00 | 1 | 23 | 213 00 | 229 00 | 451 00 | 94 00 | 357 00 | 18 |
| ..... | 65 00 | 66 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 73 00 | 1 00 | 72 00 | 19 |
| ..... | 189 00 | 200 00 | 1 | 14 | 10 00 | 1 | 19 | 62 00 | 72 00 | 273 00 | ..... | 273 00 | 20 |
| ..... | 87 00 | 87 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 87 00 | ..... | 87 00 | 21 |
| $83 00 | $3,240 00 | $5,612 00 | 5 | 105 | $280 00 | 9 | 226 | $3,853 00 | $4,133 00 | $8,505 00 | $922 00 | $7,583 00 | |

# Table No. II.—Epworth Leagues, Sunday Schools,

## MONROE DISTRICT.

| Number. | Name of Charge. | Epworth Leagues. | | | | | | | | Sunday Schools. | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Senior Leagues. | Members. | Junior Leagues. | Members. | Total League Members. | Raised by Leagues for Missions. | For Other Objects. | Total Raised by Leagues. | Number. | Number of Officers & Teachers. | Total Number Scholars. | Raised by Sunday Schools for Missions. |
| 1 | Bastrop | | | | | | | | | 1 | 7 | 56 | |
| 2 | Bonita | | | | | | | | | 3 | 18 | 75 | |
| 3 | Brooklyn | | | | | | | | | 5 | 25 | 100 | |
| 4 | Calhoun | | | | | | | | | 3 | 14 | 150 | |
| 5 | Eros | | | | | | | | | 4 | 30 | 350 | |
| 6 | Farmerville | | | | | | | | | 2 | 12 | 70 | |
| 7 | Florence | | | | | | | | | 4 | 20 | 210 | |
| 8 | Gilbert | | | | | | | | | 3 | 20 | 130 | |
| 9 | Lake Providence | | | | | | | | | 2 | 14 | 129 | $ 17 00 |
| 10 | Mangham | | | | | | | | | 2 | 10 | 90 | |
| 11 | Mer Rouge | | | | | | | | | 2 | 16 | 180 | 36 00 |
| 12 | Monroe | | | | | | | | | 1 | 27 | 469 | 102 00 |
| 13 | Oak Grove | | | | | | | | | 3 | 16 | 100 | |
| 14 | Rayville | 1 | 16 | | | 16 | | $ 7 00 | $ 7 00 | 2 | 18 | 160 | 2 00 |
| 15 | Tallulah | | | | | | | | | 2 | 24 | 120 | |
| 16 | Waterproof | 1 | 17 | | | 17 | | 3 00 | 3 00 | 2 | 14 | 124 | |
| 17 | West Monroe | 2 | 43 | 1 | 16 | 59 | | 135 00 | 135 00 | 3 | 23 | 140 | 16 00 |
| 18 | Winnsboro | 1 | 32 | | | 32 | | | | 1 | 9 | 100 | |
| | Total | 5 | 108 | 1 | 16 | 124 | | $145 00 | $145 00 | 45 | 317 | 2,753 | $173 00 |

## NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Bogalusa | 1 | 50 | 1 | 25 | 75 | $ 9 00 | | $ 9 00 | 1 | | 125 | |
| 2 | Donaldson and Vacherie | | | | | | | | | 3 | 16 | 150 | $ 10 00 |
| 3 | New Orleans: Algiers | | | 1 | 35 | 35 | | $ 5 00 | 5 00 | 1 | 18 | 180 | 38 00 |
| 4 | Carrollton Avenue | 1 | 25 | 1 | 35 | 60 | 48 00 | 159 00 | 207 00 | 2 | 30 | 261 | 30 00 |
| 5 | Epworth | 1 | 40 | | | 40 | 7 00 | 156 00 | 163 00 | 1 | 20 | 330 | |
| 6 | Felicity Street | | | | | | | | | 2 | 20 | 230 | 38 00 |
| 7 | First Church | 1 | 51 | | | 51 | 30 00 | 40 00 | 70 00 | 1 | 19 | 316 | 153 00 |
| 8 | Louisiana Avenue | 1 | 32 | | | 32 | 10 00 | 40 00 | 54 00 | 1 | 12 | 102 | 25 00 |
| 9 | Mary Werlein | 1 | 35 | 1 | 20 | 55 | 68 00 | 100 00 | 168 00 | 1 | 6 | 68 | 15 00 |
| 10 | McDonoghville | | | | | | | | | 1 | 13 | 112 | 20 00 |
| 11 | Parker Memorial | 1 | 36 | | | 36 | | 500 00 | 500 00 | 1 | 22 | 637 | 57 00 |
| 12 | Rayne Memorial | | | | | | | | | 1 | 39 | 351 | 81 00 |
| 13 | Second Church | 1 | 28 | | | 28 | 40 00 | 26 00 | 66 00 | 2 | 16 | 326 | 39 00 |
| 14 | Slidell and Covington | | | | | | | | | 3 | 26 | 300 | |
| 15 | St. Tammany Circuit | | | | | | | | | 4 | 21 | 156 | |
| | Total | 8 | 297 | 4 | 115 | 412 | $212 00 | $1,026 00 | $1,242 00 | 25 | 278 | 3,644 | $506 00 |

## RUSTON DISTRICT.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Arcadia | 1 | 20 | 2 | 34 | 54 | | $24 00 | $24 00 | 1 | 16 | 164 | |
| 2 | Benton | | | | | | | | | 1 | 8 | 30 | |
| 3 | Bernice | | | | | | | | | 3 | 20 | 175 | |
| 4 | Bienville | | | | | | | | | 2 | 15 | 130 | |
| 5 | Boyd Mission | | | | | | | | | 5 | 12 | 100 | $ 6 00 |
| 6 | Cotton Valley | | | | | | | | | 4 | 23 | 259 | 2 00 |
| 7 | Haughton | 1 | 10 | 1 | 10 | 20 | | | | 4 | 28 | 225 | |
| 8 | Haynesville | 2 | 50 | | | 50 | | 15 00 | 15 00 | 4 | 20 | 260 | 10 00 |
| 9 | Haynesville Mission | | | | | | | | | 1 | 5 | 30 | |
| 10 | Homer | 1 | 18 | 1 | 15 | 33 | $10 00 | 14 00 | 24 00 | 1 | 17 | 250 | 40 00 |
| 11 | Plain Dealing | | | | | | | | | 1 | 6 | 60 | |
| 12 | Gibsland | | | | | | | | | 2 | 13 | 125 | |
| 13 | Jonesboro | | | | | | | | | 3 | 21 | 235 | |
| 14 | Lanesville | 1 | 15 | | | 15 | | | | 3 | 17 | 112 | |
| 15 | Lisbon | 1 | 30 | | | 30 | | | | 3 | 24 | 225 | |
| 16 | Minden | | | | | | | | | 1 | 15 | 169 | 26 00 |
| 17 | Ringgold | | | | | | | | | 1 | 5 | 30 | |
| 18 | Ruston | 1 | 40 | 1 | 25 | 65 | | 20 00 | 20 00 | 1 | 35 | 550 | |
| 19 | Simsboro | | | | | | | | | 3 | 15 | 125 | |
| 20 | Vernon | | | | | | | | | 3 | 12 | 100 | |
| 21 | Winnfield | 1 | 18 | | | | | 15 00 | 15 00 | 1 | 12 | 102 | |
| | Total | 8 | 201 | 5 | 84 | 267 | $10 00 | $88 00 | $98 00 | 48 | 339 | 3,456 | $84 00 |

## and Women's Missionary Societies.

### MONROE DISTRICT.

| Sunday Schools. | | | Woman's Foreign Missionary Societies. | | | Woman's Home Mission Societies. | | | Total for All Societies. | Total for This Table. | Less Amount Elsewhere Reported. | Net Total, Table 2. | Number. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| For Children's Day. | For Other Objects. | Total Amt't Raised by Sunday Schools. | Societies. | Members. | Amount Money Collected. | Societies. | Members. | Amount Money Collected. | | | | | |
| $ 6 00 | ..... | $ 6 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | $ 6 00 | ..... | $ 6 00 | 1 |
| ..... | $ 100 00 | 100 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 100 00 | ..... | 100 00 | 2 |
| ..... | 45 00 | 45 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 45 00 | ..... | 45 00 | 3 |
| ..... | 31 00 | 31 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 31 00 | ..... | 31 00 | 4 |
| 7 00 | 81 00 | 88 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 12 | $ 5 00 | $ 5 00 | 93 00 | ..... | 93 00 | 5 |
| ..... | 102 00 | 102 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 102 00 | $ 43 00 | 59 00 | 6 |
| ..... | 53 00 | 53 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 53 00 | ..... | 53 00 | 7 |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 8 |
| 5 00 | 158 00 | 180 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 180 00 | 52 00 | 128 00 | 9 |
| ..... | 35 00 | 35 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 35 00 | 14 00 | 21 00 | 10 |
| 13 00 | 177 00 | 226 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 23 | 279 00 | 279 00 | 505 00 | 114 00 | 391 00 | 11 |
| 17 00 | 302 00 | 421 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 60 | 167 00 | 167 00 | 587 00 | ..... | 587 00 | 12 |
| ..... | 50 00 | 50 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 50 00 | 13 |
| ..... | 107 00 | 109 00 | 1 | 12 | $20 00 | 1 | 42 | 384 00 | 404 00 | 520 00 | ..... | 520 00 | 14 |
| ..... | 100 00 | 100 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 100 00 | ..... | 100 00 | 15 |
| ..... | 128 00 | 128 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 17 | 149 00 | 149 00 | 280 00 | 55 00 | 225 00 | 16 |
| 6 00 | 116 00 | 138 00 | 1 | 21 | ..... | 1 | 21 | 350 00 | 350 00 | 623 00 | 251 00 | 372 00 | 17 |
| 9 00 | 64 00 | 73 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 20 | 40 00 | 40 00 | 113 00 | ..... | 113 00 | 18 |
| $63 00 | $1,649 00 | $1,885 00 | 2 | 33 | $20 00 | 7 | 195 | $1,374 00 | $1,394 00 | $3,373 00 | $529 00 | $2,894 00 | |

### NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| ..... | $ 109 00 | $ 109 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | $ 109 00 | $ 8 00 | $ 101 00 | 1 |
| ..... | 64 00 | 74 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 2 | 22 | $ 9 00 | $ 9 00 | 83 00 | ..... | 83 00 | 2 |
| $ 21 00 | 144 00 | 203 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 18 | 36 00 | 36 00 | 244 00 | 65 00 | 179 00 | 3 |
| 13 00 | 393 00 | 436 00 | 1 | 33 | $ 334 00 | 1 | 33 | 316 00 | 650 00 | 1,294 00 | 30 00 | 1,264 00 | 4 |
| 3 00 | 233 00 | 236 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 399 00 | 178 00 | 221 00 | 5 |
| 13 00 | 108 00 | 159 00 | 1 | 30 | ..... | 1 | 30 | ..... | 386 00 | 545 00 | 38 00 | 507 00 | 6 |
| 15 00 | 496 00 | 664 00 | 1 | 51 | 300 00 | 1 | 82 | 972 00 | 1,272 00 | 2,447 00 | 153 00 | 2,294 00 | 7 |
| ..... | 80 00 | 105 00 | 1 | 16 | 39 00 | 1 | 31 | 376 00 | 415 00 | 574 00 | 85 00 | 489 00 | 8 |
| ..... | 18 00 | 33 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 36 | 61 00 | 61 00 | 262 00 | ..... | 262 00 | 9 |
| ..... | 43 00 | 63 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 18 | 297 00 | 297 00 | 360 00 | 196 00 | 164 00 | 10 |
| 16 00 | 267 00 | 340 00 | 1 | 25 | 55 00 | 1 | 38 | 500 00 | 555 00 | 1,396 00 | 800 00 | 596 00 | 11 |
| 17 00 | 559 00 | 657 00 | 1 | 38 | 667 00 | 1 | 41 | 527 00 | 1,194 00 | 1,851 00 | 200 00 | 1,651 00 | 12 |
| 6 00 | 132 00 | 177 00 | 1 | 40 | 23 00 | 1 | 40 | 115 00 | 138 00 | 381 00 | 40 00 | 341 00 | 13 |
| ..... | 230 00 | 230 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 47 | 268 00 | 268 00 | 498 00 | ..... | 498 00 | 14 |
| ..... | 64 00 | 64 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 64 00 | ..... | 64 00 | 15 |
| $104 00 | $2,940 00 | $3,550 00 | 7 | 233 | $1,418 00 | 13 | 436 | $3,477 00 | $5,281 00 | $10,507 00 | $1,793 00 | $8,714 00 | |

### RUSTON DISTRICT.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| ..... | $ 70 00 | $ 70 00 | 1 | 32 | $ 30 00 | 1 | 32 | $ 36 00 | $ 66 00 | $ 160 00 | ..... | $ 160 00 | 1 |
| ..... | 66 00 | 66 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 66 00 | ..... | 66 00 | 2 |
| ..... | 179 00 | 179 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 2 | 23 | 118 00 | 118 00 | 297 00 | $ 48 00 | 249 00 | 3 |
| ..... | 69 00 | 69 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 69 00 | ..... | 69 00 | 4 |
| ..... | 5 00 | 11 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 3 00 | ..... | 3 00 | 5 |
| ..... | ..... | 2 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 2 00 | ..... | 2 00 | 6 |
| ..... | 245 00 | 245 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 20 | 67 00 | 67 00 | 312 00 | 115 00 | 197 00 | 7 |
| ..... | 203 00 | 213 00 | 2 | 30 | 60 00 | 2 | 50 | 30 00 | 90 00 | 318 00 | 68 00 | 250 00 | 8 |
| ..... | 19 00 | 19 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 19 00 | ..... | 19 00 | 9 |
| $ 6 00 | 151 00 | 197 00 | 1 | 30 | 67 00 | 1 | 34 | 309 00 | 375 00 | 596 00 | 271 00 | 325 00 | 10 |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 11 |
| ..... | 55 00 | 55 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 55 00 | ..... | 55 00 | 12 |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 13 |
| ..... | 37 00 | 37 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 37 00 | 13 00 | 24 00 | 14 |
| 18 00 | ..... | 18 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 18 00 | ..... | 18 00 | 15 |
| 11 00 | 197 00 | 234 00 | 1 | 35 | 217 00 | 1 | 40 | 138 00 | 355 00 | 589 00 | 26 00 | 563 00 | 16 |
| ..... | 12 00 | 12 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 12 00 | ..... | 12 00 | 17 |
| ..... | 392 00 | 392 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 412 00 | ..... | 412 00 | 18 |
| ..... | 51 00 | 51 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 51 00 | 30 00 | 21 00 | 19 |
| ..... | 30 00 | 30 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 30 00 | 12 00 | 18 00 | 20 |
| ..... | 112 00 | 112 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 27 | 152 00 | 152 00 | 279 00 | 70 00 | 209 00 | 21 |
| $35 00 | $1,893 00 | $2,012 00 | 5 | 127 | $374 00 | 9 | 226 | $850 00 | $1,223 00 | $3,325 00 | $653 00 | $2,672 00 | |

# Table No. II.—Epworth Leagues, Sunday Schools,

## SHREVEPORT DISTRICT.

| Number. | Name of Charge. | Epworth Leagues. | | | | | | | | Sunday Schools. | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Senior Leagues. | Members. | Junior Leagues. | Members. | Total Leag'e Members. | Raised by Leagues for Missions. | For Other Objects. | Total Raised by Leagues. | Number. | Number of Officers & Teachers. | Total Number Scholars. | Raised by Sunday Schools for Missions. |
| 1 | Anacoco | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 3 | 20 | 200 | ..... |
| 2 | Bay u Lachute | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 2 | 12 | 55 | ..... |
| 3 | Bo sier City | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 4 | Coushatta | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 3 | 16 | 100 | ..... |
| 5 | Grand Cane | 2 | 45 | ..... | ..... | 45 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 3 | 16 | 172 | $ 5 00 |
| 6 | Grand Cane Missi n | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 6 | 45 | ..... |
| 7 | Greenwood and Dixie | .... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 2 | 18 | 108 | ..... |
| 8 | Ida | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 3 | 9 | 97 | 5 00 |
| 9 | Keatchie | .... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 4 | 27 | 155 | ..... |
| 10 | Leesville | 1 | 31 | ..... | ..... | 31 | $10 00 | $ 28 00 | $ 38 00 | 1 | ..... | ..... | 30 00 |
| 11 | Mansfield | 1 | 80 | 1 | 25 | 105 | 8 00 | 42 00 | 50 00 | 1 | 19 | 150 | 61 00 |
| 12 | Many | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 3 | 14 | 200 | ..... |
| 13 | Mooringsport | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 3 | 18 | 175 | ..... |
| 14 | Pelican | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 2 | 10 | 100 | ..... |
| 15 | Pleasant Hill | .... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 2 | 16 | 100 | ..... |
| 16 | Shreveport: First Church | 1 | 93 | 1 | 20 | 113 | 50 00 | 96 00 | 146 00 | 1 | 91 | 1,302 | 381 00 |
| 17 | Noel Memorial | 1 | 35 | 1 | 47 | 82 | 12 00 | 35 00 | 47 00 | 1 | 20 | 360 | 10 00 |
| 18 | Texas Avenue | 1 | 36 | .... | ..... | 36 | 10 00 | 45 00 | 55 00 | 2 | 12 | 150 | ..... |
| 19 | Owensboro | 1 | 20 | 1 | 38 | 58 | ..... | 4 00 | 4 00 | 1 | 11 | 174 | ..... |
| 20 | South Mansfield | ..... | ..... | 1 | 25 | 25 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 21 | Vivian | 1 | 18 | .... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 8 | 95 | ..... |
| 22 | We l y | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 2 | 6 | 35 | ..... |
| 23 | Zwolle | 1 | 27 | ..... | ..... | 27 | ..... | 10 00 | 10 00 | 3 | 21 | 250 | 21 00 |
| | Total | 10 | 385 | 5 | 155 | 522 | $90 00 | $260 00 | $350 00 | 44 | 370 | 4,023 | $513 00 |

## RECAPITULATION.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Alexandr a District | 3 | 89 | 2 | 70 | 159 | ..... | $ 40 00 | $ 40 00 | 47 | 341 | 3,900 | $ 126 00 |
| 2 | Baton Rouge District | 7 | 191 | 2 | 31 | 222 | $ 7 00 | 72 00 | 79 00 | 54 | 368 | 3 660 | ..... |
| 3 | Lafayette District | 11 | 373 | 5 | 123 | 496 | 222 00 | 478 00 | 700 00 | 44 | 350 | 4.297 | 347 00 |
| 4 | Monroe District | 5 | 108 | 1 | 16 | 124 | ..... | 145 00 | 145 00 | 45 | 317 | 2,7 3 | 173 00 |
| 5 | New Orleans District | 8 | 297 | 4 | 115 | 412 | 212 00 | 1,026 00 | 1,242 00 | 25 | 278 | 3.644 | 506 00 |
| 6 | Ruston District | 8 | 201 | 5 | 84 | 267 | 10 00 | 88 00 | 98 00 | 48 | 339 | 3.456 | 84 00 |
| 7 | Shreveport District | 10 | 385 | 5 | 155 | 522 | 90 00 | 260 00 | 350 00 | 44 | 370 | 4,023 | 513 00 |
| | Total | 52 | 1.644 | 24 | 594 | 2.202 | $541 00 | $2,109 00 | $2,654 00 | 309 | 2.363 | 25,733 | $1,749 00 |
| | Total last year | 47 | 1,618 | 18 | 551 | 2,169 | 317 00 | 1,372 00 | 1,643 00 | 309 | 2,279 | 23,431 | 1,563 00 |
| | Increase | 5 | 26 | 6 | 43 | 33 | $224 00 | $ 737 00 | $1,011 00 | ..... | 84 | 2,302 | $ 186 00 |
| | Decrease | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |

## and Women's Missionary Societies.

### SHREVEPORT DISTRICT.

| Sunday Schools. | | | Woman's Foreign Missionary Societies. | | | Woman's Home Mission Societies. | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| For Children's Day. | For Other Objects. | Total Am't Raised by Sunday Schools. | Societies. | Members. | Amount Money Collected. | Societies. | Members. | Amount Money Collected. | Total for All Societies. | Total for This Table. | Less Amount Elsewhere Reported. | Net Total. Table 2. | Number. |
| $ 13 00 | $ 40 00 | $ 53 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | $ 53 00 | ..... | $ 53 00 | 1 |
| 5 00 | 25 00 | 30 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 30 00 | ..... | 30 00 | 2 |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 3 |
| ..... | 50 00 | 50 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 50 00 | ..... | 50 00 | 4 |
| 7 00 | 238 00 | 250 00 | 1 | 20 | $ 22 00 | 1 | 20 | $ 95 00 | $ 107 00 | 367 00 | $ 112 00 | 255 00 | 5 |
| ..... | 10 00 | 10 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 10 00 | ..... | 10 00 | 6 |
| 8 00 | 69 00 | 77 00 | 1 | 16 | 22 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 22 00 | 99 00 | ..... | 99 00 | 7 |
| 5 00 | ..... | 10 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 10 00 | ..... | 10 00 | 8 |
| 28 00 | 72 00 | 100 00 | 1 | 5 | 10 00 | 1 | 20 | 100 00 | 110 00 | 210 00 | ..... | 210 00 | 9 |
| 7 00 | 74 00 | 111 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 41 | 126 00 | 126 00 | 275 00 | ..... | 275 00 | 10 |
| 21 00 | 137 00 | 219 00 | 1 | 21 | 81 00 | 1 | 87 | 441 00 | 522 00 | 791 00 | 69 00 | 722 00 | 11 |
| ..... | 120 00 | 120 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 2 | 33 | 386 00 | 386 00 | 506 00 | ..... | 506 00 | 12 |
| 5 00 | 51 00 | 56 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 56 00 | 51 00 | 5 00 | 13 |
| 3 00 | 84 00 | 87 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 87 00 | 64 00 | 23 00 | 14 |
| ..... | 27 00 | 27 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 27 00 | ..... | 27 00 | 15 |
| 54 00 | 1,523 00 | 1,958 00 | 1 | 150 | 485 00 | 1 | 150 | 2,173 00 | 2,658 00 | 4,762 00 | ..... | 4,762 00 | 16 |
| 10 00 | 230 00 | 250 00 | 1 | 30 | 88 00 | 1 | 61 | 1,229 00 | 1,217 00 | 1,614 00 | 769 00 | 845 00 | 17 |
| ..... | 146 00 | 146 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 20 | 684 00 | 684 00 | 885 00 | ..... | 885 00 | 18 |
| 2 00 | 121 00 | 123 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 15 | 740 00 | 740 00 | 867 00 | 2 00 | 865 00 | 19 |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 10 | 58 00 | 58 00 | ..... | ..... | 58 00 | 20 |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 21 |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 22 |
| 15 00 | 143 00 | 179 00 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 17 | 187 00 | 187 00 | 376 00 | 21 00 | 355 00 | 23 |
| $183 00 | $3,160 00 | $3,856 00 | 6 | 242 | $708 00 | 12 | 474 | $6,219 00 | $6,917 00 | $11,075 00 | $1,088 00 | $10,045 00 | |

### RECAPITULATION.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| $ 56 00 | $ 2,427 00 | $ 2,608 00 | 7 | 159 | $ 540 00 | 11 | 224 | $ 2,607 00 | $ 3,147 00 | $ 5,682 00 | $ 351 00 | $ 5,444 00 | 1 |
| 82 00 | 1,616 00 | 1,835 00 | 5 | 89 | 385 00 | 11 | 251 | 1,330 00 | 1,765 00 | 3,889 00 | 983 00 | 2,906 00 | 2 |
| 83 00 | 3,240 00 | 3,612 00 | 5 | 105 | 280 00 | 9 | 226 | 3,853 00 | 4,133 00 | 8,505 00 | 922 00 | 7,583 00 | 3 |
| 63 00 | 1,649 00 | 1,885 00 | 2 | 33 | 20 00 | 7 | 195 | 1,374 00 | 1,394 00 | 3,373 00 | 529 00 | 2,894 00 | 4 |
| 104 00 | 2,940 00 | 3,550 00 | 7 | 233 | 1,418 00 | 13 | 436 | 3,477 00 | 5,281 00 | 10,507 00 | 1,793 00 | 8,714 00 | 5 |
| 35 00 | 1,893 00 | 2,012 00 | 5 | 127 | 374 00 | 9 | 226 | 850 00 | 1,223 00 | 3,325 00 | 653 00 | 2,672 00 | 6 |
| 183 00 | 3,160 00 | 3,856 00 | 6 | 242 | 708 00 | 12 | 474 | 6,219 00 | 6,917 00 | 11,075 00 | 1,088 00 | 10,045 00 | 7 |
| $606 00 | $16,925 00 | $19,358 00 | 37 | 988 | $3,725 00 | 72 | 2,032 | $19,760 00 | $23,860 00 | $46,356 00 | $6,319 00 | $40,258 00 | |
| 370 00 | 15,072 00 | 16,581 00 | 35 | 945 | 3,426 00 | 67 | 1,822 | 15,272 00 | 16,979 00 | 35,613 00 | 4,387 00 | 26,804 00 | |
| $236 00 | $ 1,853 00 | $ 2,777 00 | 2 | 43 | $ 299 00 | 5 | 210 | $ 4,488 00 | $ 6,881 00 | $10,773 00 | $1,932 00 | $13,454 00 | |

# Table No. III.—Finance.

## ALEXANDRIA DISTRICT.

| Number. | Name of Charge. | Presiding Elder. | | Preacher in Charge. | | Bishops' Fund. | | Conference Claimants. | | Foreign Missions. | | Home and Conf. Missions. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Assessed. | Paid. | Assessed. | Paid. | Ass'd. | Paid. | Ass'd. | Paid. | Assessed. | Paid. | Assessed. | Paid. |
| 1 | Alexandria | $ 300 | $ 300 | $ 2,000 | $,2,250 | $ 29 | $ 29 | $118 | $118 | $ 137 | $137 | $ 187 | $187 |
| 2 | Bon Ami | 15 0 | 114 | 1,000 | 764 | 9 | 3 | 34 | 8 | 40 | 8 | 54 | 12 |
| 3 | Boyce and Lecompte | 140 | 141 | 940 | 940 | 12 | 12 | 50 | 50 | 58 | 57 | 79 | 78 |
| 4 | Bunkie | 140 | 120 | 935 | 800 | 12 | 11 | 48 | 40 | 56 | 46 | 76 | 56 |
| 5 | Campti | 90 | 17 | 600 | 507 | 10 | 5 | 39 | 10 | 45 | 25 | 61 | 25 |
| 6 | Colfax | 120 | 103 | 800 | 689 | 12 | 5 | 49 | 26 | 57 | 37 | 79 | 48 |
| 7 | Columbia | 191 | 151 | 1,274 | 1,013 | 15 | 7 | 59 | 15 | 68 | 25 | 93 | 25 |
| 8 | De Ridder | 150 | 150 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 13 | 13 | 52 | 52 | 61 | 61 | 83 | 51 |
| 9 | Elizabeth | 67 | 24 | 450 | 164 | 12 | ..... | 48 | ..... | 55 | ..... | 76 | ..... |
| 10 | Glenmora | 67 | 40 | 450 | 274 | 12 | ..... | 48 | 1 | 55 | 17 | 76 | ..... |
| 11 | Harrisonburg | 150 | 110 | 1,000 | 738 | 12 | 5 | 50 | 17 | 52 | 21 | 79 | 31 |
| 12 | Jena | 120 | 88 | 800 | 587 | 12 | 4 | 47 | 20 | 55 | 15 | 75 | 15 |
| 13 | Marksville | 61 | 36 | 410 | 243 | 10 | 1 | 40 | 2 | 46 | ..... | 63 | 10 |
| 14 | Melville | 93 | 57 | 625 | 383 | 12 | ..... | 47 | 2 | 55 | 6 | 75 | ..... |
| 15 | Merryville | 90 | 55 | 600 | 470 | 6 | ..... | 24 | ..... | 29 | 10 | 40 | 15 |
| 16 | Natchitoches | 75 | 72 | 500 | 485 | 8 | 4 | 32 | 16 | 38 | 19 | 51 | 25 |
| 17 | Opelousas | 90 | 108 | 600 | 727 | 10 | 4 | 40 | 20 | 47 | 25 | 64 | 30 |
| 18 | Pollock | 75 | 45 | 500 | 303 | 8 | 3 | 31 | 10 | 31 | 20 | 49 | 10 |
| 19 | Provencal | 36 | 9 | 200 | 70 | 8 | ..... | 34 | ..... | 39 | ..... | 54 | ..... |
| 20 | Selma | 90 | 90 | 600 | 720 | 5 | 5 | 21 | 21 | 26 | 26 | 35 | 35 |
| 21 | Standard | ..... | 104 | ..... | 696 | 6 | 2 | 25 | 8 | 29 | 8 | 40 | 8 |
| 22 | Trout | 90 | 90 | 600 | 600 | 6 | 5 | 22 | 5 | 26 | 12 | 35 | 12 |
| | Total | $2,386 | $2,024 | $15,924 | $14,423 | $239 | $118 | $958 | $441 | $1,105 | $575 | $1,524 | $673 |

## BATON ROUGE DISTRICT.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Amite City | $ 180 | $ 160 | $ 1,200 | $ 1,068 | $ 20 | ..... | $ 78 | $ 28 | $ 90 | ..... | $ 123 | $ 28 |
| 2 | Baker | 122 | 109 | 815 | 745 | 22 | $ 5 | 87 | 25 | 102 | $ 15 | 138 | 25 |
| 3 | Baton Rouge: First Church | 240 | 240 | 1,600 | 1,600 | 33 | 33 | 132 | 132 | 153 | 125 | 210 | 157 |
| 4 | Second Church | 120 | 80 | 800 | 472 | 13 | ..... | 51 | ..... | 60 | 12 | 82 | 40 |
| 5 | Clinton and Jackson | 120 | 71 | 800 | 392 | 12 | 5 | 49 | 35 | 57 | 25 | 78 | 25 |
| 6 | Denham Springs | 90 | 40 | 600 | 270 | 14 | 3 | 57 | 5 | 66 | 5 | 90 | 5 |
| 7 | East Feliciana | 84 | 69 | 557 | 465 | 11 | 4 | 43 | 10 | 50 | 12 | 69 | 16 |
| 8 | Franklinton | 160 | 150 | 1,080 | 1,000 | 23 | 10 | 90 | 35 | 104 | 40 | 142 | 45 |
| 9 | Hammond | 110 | 85 | 740 | 575 | 12 | 4 | 50 | 17 | 58 | 16 | 79 | 20 |
| 10 | Kentwood | 135 | 95 | 900 | 636 | 15 | 4 | 62 | 40 | 72 | 20 | 98 | 20 |
| 11 | Mt. Hermon | 65 | 65 | 440 | 439 | 10 | 3 | 42 | 9 | 49 | 8 | 67 | 10 |
| 12 | New Roads Mission | 45 | ..... | 300 | ..... | 6 | ..... | 26 | ..... | 30 | ..... | 41 | ..... |
| 13 | Pine Grove | 90 | 39 | 600 | 262 | 8 | 5 | 33 | 5 | 38 | 20 | 52 | 5 |
| 14 | Plaquemine | 105 | 79 | 700 | 539 | 8 | ..... | 31 | 10 | 36 | ..... | 49 | ..... |
| 15 | Ponchatoula | 127 | 108 | 840 | 730 | 16 | 6 | 63 | 15 | 73 | 15 | 100 | 15 |
| 16 | Port Vincent | 91 | 39 | 610 | 262 | 10 | 1 | 40 | 11 | 47 | 5 | 64 | 5 |
| 17 | St. Francisville | 121 | 96 | 810 | 646 | 12 | 6 | 48 | 20 | 56 | 18 | 77 | 22 |
| 18 | St. Helena | 101 | 72 | 675 | 488 | 18 | ..... | 70 | 6 | 82 | ..... | 112 | ..... |
| 19 | Tickfaw | 40 | 37 | 265 | 247 | 8 | 5 | 32 | 20 | 37 | 15 | 51 | 10 |
| 20 | Wilson | 111 | 107 | 744 | 717 | 21 | 5 | 85 | 45 | 98 | 25 | 134 | 31 |
| 21 | Zachary | 110 | 96 | 735 | 646 | 16 | 5 | 65 | 37 | 76 | 22 | 103 | 22 |
| | Total | $2,367 | $1,837 | $15,811 | $12,199 | $308 | $104 | $1,234 | $505 | $1,434 | $398 | $1,959 | $501 |

## LAFAYETTE DISTRICT.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Bell City | $ 56 | $ 44 | $ 405 | $ 312 | $ 7 | $ 1 | $ 30 | $ 5 | $ 32 | $ 5 | $ 44 | $ 8 |
| 2 | Church Point | 84 | 69 | 600 | 466 | 11 | 2 | 45 | 13 | 47 | 6 | 65 | 5 |
| 3 | Crowley | 168 | 168 | 1,200 | 1,200 | 29 | 29 | 117 | 117 | 131 | 131 | 179 | 179 |
| 4 | Eunice | 91 | 69 | 650 | 497 | 9 | 5 | 34 | 18 | 39 | 12 | 54 | 10 |
| 5 | Franklin | 140 | 140 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 16 | 14 | 65 | 54 | 80 | 68 | 109 | 93 |
| 6 | Grand Chenier | ..... | 2 | 30 | ..... | 4 | ..... | 13 | ..... | 14 | ..... | 18 | ..... |
| 7 | Gueydan and Abbeville | 127 | 127 | 910 | 910 | 15 | 5 | 62 | 12 | 73 | 5 | 99 | 12 |
| 8 | Houma Mission | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 6 |
| 9 | Indian Bayou | 91 | 72 | 650 | 503 | 21 | 5 | 83 | 9 | 90 | 9 | 123 | 14 |
| 10 | Jeanerette | 84 | 84 | 600 | 600 | 7 | 3 | 29 | 12 | 33 | 14 | 45 | 19 |
| 11 | Jennings | 84 | 84 | 600 | 600 | 12 | 4 | 45 | 10 | 54 | 6 | 74 | 16 |
| 12 | Lafayette | 140 | 140 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 16 | 16 | 63 | 63 | 79 | 79 | 107 | 107 |
| 13 | Lake Arthur | 140 | 124 | 1,000 | 890 | 13 | 12 | 52 | 52 | 64 | 63 | 87 | 86 |
| 14 | Lake Charles | 224 | 196 | 1,600 | 1,400 | 31 | 10 | 124 | 75 | 145 | 50 | 194 | 85 |
| 15 | Morgan City | 140 | 140 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 17 | 17 | 67 | 67 | 82 | 82 | 112 | 112 |
| 16 | New Iberia | 168 | 168 | 1,200 | 1,200 | 20 | 20 | 81 | 60 | 100 | 40 | 136 | 40 |
| 17 | Patterson | 77 | 64 | 550 | 461 | 9 | 3 | 36 | 17 | 41 | 20 | 56 | 25 |
| 18 | Rayne | 98 | 86 | 700 | 615 | 11 | 7 | 42 | 14 | 46 | 15 | 65 | 20 |
| 19 | St. Martinville | 42 | 18 | 300 | 138 | 1 | ..... | 5 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 6 | 1 |
| 20 | Sulphur | 70 | 70 | 500 | 500 | 10 | 8 | 38 | 12 | 48 | 20 | 66 | 34 |
| 21 | Vermillion | 56 | 39 | 400 | 279 | 9 | 1 | 36 | 2 | 37 | 1 | 50 | 2 |
| | Total | $2,080 | $1,904 | $14,865 | $13,571 | $269 | $163 | $1,072 | $618 | $1,245 | $632 | $1,695 | $874 |

# Table No. III.—Finance.

## ALEXANDRIA DISTRICT.

| Specials for Missions—Paid. | Church Extension. | | Education. | | American Bible Soc. | | Gen. Conf. Expenses. | | Education Extension. | | Orphanage. | | Minutes. | | Objects Not Elsewhere Reported. | Total. Table No. 3. | Total. Table No. 2. | Total. Table No. 1. | Grand Total. Tables 1, 2, and 3. | Number. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Ass'd. | Paid. | Ass'd. | Paid. | Ass'd | Pd. | Ass'd | Pd. | Ass'd. | Pd. | Assessed. | Paid. | Ass'd | Pd. | | | | | | |
| $18 | $ 87 | $ 87 | $103 | $103 | $12 | $11 | $ 15 | $14 | $ 31 | $ 31 | $ 147 | $ 162 | $ 6 | $ 6 | $1,083 | $ 4,536 | $ 636 | $ 128 | $ 5,300 | 1 |
| ..... | 25 | 5 | 30 | 8 | 4 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 9 | ..... | 43 | 45 | 2 | ..... | 500 | 1,459 | 112 | ..... | 1,571 | 2 |
| ..... | 37 | 36 | 43 | 43 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 6 | 13 | 13 | 62 | 73 | 3 | 2 | 360 | 1,816 | 343 | 135 | 2,294 | 3 |
| ..... | 35 | 30 | 42 | 35 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 5 | 13 | 5 | 60 | 141 | 2 | 3 | 215 | 1,512 | 900 | 80 | 2,492 | 4 |
| ..... | 29 | 5 | 34 | ..... | 4 | 3 | 5 | ..... | 10 | ..... | 49 | 25 | 2 | 2 | 150 | 774 | 151 | 50 | 975 | 5 |
| ..... | 36 | 17 | 43 | 26 | 5 | 2 | 6 | 3 | 13 | 41 | 62 | 41 | 3 | 2 | 190 | 1,189 | 295 | 175 | 1,659 | 6 |
| ..... | 43 | 10 | 51 | 5 | 6 | 5 | 7 | 5 | 15 | 10 | 73 | 27 | 3 | 2 | ..... | 1,300 | 305 | 314 | 1,919 | 7 |
| ..... | 38 | 38 | 45 | 45 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 6 | 14 | 13 | 66 | 140 | 3 | 2 | 565 | 2,141 | 338 | ..... | 2,479 | 8 |
| ..... | 35 | ..... | 42 | ..... | 5 | ..... | 6 | ..... | 13 | ..... | 60 | ..... | 2 | ..... | ..... | 188 | 129 | 1,341 | 1,658 | 9 |
| ..... | 35 | ..... | 42 | ..... | 5 | ..... | 6 | ..... | 13 | ..... | 60 | 30 | 2 | ..... | 88 | 450 | 30 | 169 | 649 | 10 |
| ..... | 36 | 12 | 43 | 10 | 5 | 2 | 6 | ..... | 13 | 10 | 62 | ..... | 3 | 2 | 100 | 1,058 | 187 | 200 | 1,445 | 11 |
| ..... | 35 | 8 | 41 | 10 | 5 | 2 | 6 | ..... | 13 | ..... | 59 | 67 | 3 | 2 | 130 | 948 | 95 | 674 | 1,717 | 12 |
| ..... | 29 | ..... | 35 | ..... | 4 | ..... | 5 | ..... | 11 | ..... | 50 | 30 | 2 | ..... | 523 | 850 | 48 | 28 | 926 | 13 |
| ..... | 35 | ..... | 41 | ..... | 5 | ..... | 6 | ..... | 13 | ..... | 59 | 47 | 3 | 3 | ..... | ..... | 498 | 60 | 558 | 14 |
| ..... | 18 | ..... | 22 | ..... | 3 | ..... | 3 | ..... | 6 | ..... | 30 | 26 | 2 | ..... | ..... | 576 | 435 | 600 | 1,611 | 15 |
| ..... | 24 | 17 | 28 | 14 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 9 | ..... | 41 | 41 | 2 | 2 | 242 | 941 | 363 | 1,419 | 2,723 | 16 |
| ..... | 29 | 12 | 35 | 13 | 4 | 2 | 5 | ..... | 11 | 4 | 50 | 35 | 2 | 2 | 54 | 1,011 | 404 | 36 | 1,451 | 17 |
| ..... | 22 | 10 | 27 | 6 | 3 | 3 | 4 | ..... | 8 | 2 | 38 | 12 | 2 | 1 | 110 | 535 | 95 | 97 | 727 | 18 |
| ..... | 25 | ..... | 30 | ..... | 4 | ..... | 4 | ..... | 9 | .... | 42 | 3 | 2 | ..... | ..... | 81 | ..... | ..... | 82 | 19 |
| ..... | 18 | 18 | 19 | 19 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 5 | 5 | 27 | 27 | 1 | 1 | 363 | 1,336 | 88 | 8 | 1,432 | 20 |
| ..... | 18 | 5 | 22 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 6 | ..... | 31 | 57 | 1 | ..... | 32 | 927 | 449 | 830 | 2,206 | 21 |
| ..... | 16 | ..... | 19 | 1 | 2 | ..... | 3 | ..... | 6 | 1 | 28 | 29 | 1 | ..... | ..... | 855 | 40 | 22 | 917 | 22 |
| $18 | $705 | $310 | $837 | $341 | $99 | $53 | $119 | $46 | $254 | $135 | $1,199 | $1,058 | $52 | $32 | $4,710 | $24,483 | $5,941 | $6,366 | $36,790 | |

## BATON ROUGE DISTRICT.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| ..... | $ 57 | $ 13 | $ 68 | $ 13 | $ 8 | ..... | $ 10 | ..... | $ 20 | ..... | $ 97 | $ 51 | $ 4 | $ 4 | $ 364 | $ 1,729 | $ 295 | ..... | $ 2,024 | 1 |
| ..... | 64 | 10 | 76 | 10 | 9 | $ 3 | 10 | $ 4 | 23 | ..... | 109 | 25 | 5 | ..... | 298 | 1,274 | 72 | $ 46 | 1,392 | 2 |
| ..... | 97 | 72 | 116 | 113 | 13 | 10 | 16 | 16 | 35 | .... | 165 | 115 | 7 | 7 | 1,252 | 3,912 | 622 | 716 | 5,250 | 3 |
| ..... | 38 | ..... | 45 | ..... | 5 | ..... | 6 | ..... | 14 | ..... | 64 | 18 | 3 | ..... | 25 | 647 | 145 | 30 | 822 | 4 |
| ..... | 36 | ..... | 43 | ..... | 5 | 3 | 6 | ..... | 13 | ..... | 61 | 23 | 2 | 2 | ..... | 581 | 154 | 150 | 885 | 5 |
| ..... | 42 | ..... | 50 | 5 | 6 | ..... | 7 | ..... | 15 | ..... | 71 | 10 | 3 | 3 | 112 | 458 | 29 | 60 | 547 | 6 |
| ..... | 32 | 7 | 38 | 10 | 4 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 11 | ..... | 54 | 17 | 2 | 2 | 59 | 673 | 46 | 176 | 895 | 7 |
| ..... | 66 | 25 | 78 | 28 | 9 | 5 | 11 | ..... | 24 | $ 8 | 112 | ..... | 4 | 4 | 240 | 1,590 | 420 | 290 | 2,300 | 8 |
| ..... | 37 | ..... | 44 | ..... | 5 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 13 | ..... | 62 | 12 | 2 | 1 | 130 | 862 | 143 | 164 | 1,169 | 9 |
| ..... | 45 | 10 | 54 | 15 | 6 | 2 | 7 | 1 | 16 | 5 | 77 | 37 | 3 | 2 | 141 | 1,028 | 127 | 192 | 1,347 | 10 |
| ..... | 31 | 5 | 37 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 5 | 2 | 11 | ..... | 52 | ..... | 2 | 2 | 112 | 663 | 35 | 7 | 705 | 11 |
| ..... | 19 | ..... | 22 | ..... | 3 | ..... | 3 | ..... | 6 | ..... | 32 | ..... | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 12 |
| ..... | 24 | 2 | 29 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 9 | ..... | 41 | 26 | 2 | 1 | 8 | 379 | ..... | ..... | 379 | 13 |
| ..... | 23 | ..... | 27 | ..... | 3 | 3 | 4 | ..... | 8 | .... | 39 | 110 | 2 | ..... | 54 | 797 | 46 | 47 | 890 | 14 |
| ..... | 46 | 10 | 55 | 10 | 6 | 2 | 8 | 4 | 17 | 10 | 79 | 62 | 3 | 1 | 100 | 1,088 | 238 | 225 | 1,551 | 15 |
| ..... | 30 | ..... | 35 | 1 | 4 | ..... | 5 | ..... | 11 | ..... | 50 | ..... | 2 | ..... | 45 | 369 | 13 | 250 | 632 | 16 |
| ..... | 35 | 10 | 42 | 21 | 5 | 2 | 6 | 2 | 13 | ..... | 61 | 24 | 2 | 1 | 75 | 868 | 80 | 175 | 1,123 | 17 |
| ..... | 52 | ..... | 62 | ..... | 7 | ..... | 9 | ..... | 19 | ..... | 88 | 29 | 3 | 1 | 55 | 651 | 22 | 37 | 710 | 18 |
| ..... | 23 | ..... | 28 | 10 | 3 | 1 | 4 | ..... | 8 | ..... | 40 | 15 | 2 | 2 | ..... | 362 | 42 | 100 | 504 | 19 |
| ..... | 62 | 5 | 74 | 12 | 9 | 5 | 10 | ..... | 22 | ..... | 106 | 50 | 4 | 2 | 105 | 1,109 | 318 | 300 | 1,727 | 20 |
| ..... | 48 | 21 | 57 | ..... | 6 | 3 | 8 | ..... | 17 | ..... | 82 | 53 | 3 | 3 | 108 | 1,016 | 95 | 361 | 1,472 | 21 |
| ..... | $907 | $190 | $1,080 | $257 | $123 | $45 | $150 | $32 | $325 | $23 | $1,542 | $677 | $61 | $38 | $3,283 | $20,056 | $2,942 | $3,326 | $26,324 | |

## LAFAYETTE DISTRICT.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| ..... | $ 22 | $ 5 | $ 27 | $ 5 | $ 2 | $ 1 | $ 3 | $ 1 | $ 7 | $ 1 | $ 35 | $ 36 | $ 1 | $ 1 | $ 75 | $ 500 | $ 87 | $ 84 | $ 671 | 1 |
| ..... | 33 | 2 | 39 | ..... | 4 | 2 | 5 | ..... | 12 | ..... | 52 | 34 | 2 | ..... | 151 | 750 | 36 | 20 | 806 | 2 |
| ..... | 86 | 86 | 102 | 102 | 12 | 12 | 14 | 14 | 31 | 31 | 143 | 143 | 6 | 6 | 2,327 | 4,545 | 3,011 | 250 | 7,806 | 3 |
| ..... | 27 | 10 | 31 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 4 | ..... | 10 | 4 | 43 | 38 | 2 | 2 | 18 | 693 | 228 | 261 | 1,182 | 4 |
| ..... | 48 | 41 | 57 | 48 | 6 | 5 | 8 | 7 | 17 | 14 | 87 | 461 | 3 | 4 | 587 | 2,536 | 235 | 158 | 2,929 | 5 |
| ..... | 10 | ..... | 11 | ..... | 2 | ..... | 2 | ..... | 3 | ..... | 15 | ..... | 1 | ..... | 25 | 57 | 40 | ..... | 97 | 6 |
| $ 2 | 45 | 1 | 54 | ..... | 6 | 1 | 8 | 1 | 16 | 1 | 79 | 48 | 3 | 2 | 110 | 1,238 | 169 | 50 | 1,457 | 7 |
| ..... | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | ..... | ..... | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ..... | 4 | ..... | ..... | 204 | 233 | 409 | ..... | 642 | 8 |
| ..... | 61 | 8 | 72 | 6 | 7 | 2 | 9 | 5 | 22 | 3 | 98 | 11 | 4 | 2 | 88 | 737 | 75 | 25 | 837 | 9 |
| ..... | 21 | 9 | 25 | 25 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 8 | 4 | 36 | 68 | 1 | 1 | 51 | 893 | 35 | 264 | 1,192 | 10 |
| ..... | 34 | 6 | 40 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 12 | ..... | 59 | 42 | 2 | 2 | 60 | 837 | 141 | ..... | 978 | 11 |
| ..... | 47 | 47 | 55 | 55 | 6 | 6 | 8 | 8 | 17 | 17 | 86 | 198 | 3 | 3 | 258 | 1,997 | 645 | 257 | 2,899 | 12 |
| ..... | 38 | 37 | 45 | 44 | 10 | 5 | 6 | ..... | 14 | 14 | 80 | 90 | 4 | 4 | 88 | 1,509 | 343 | ..... | 1,852 | 13 |
| 125 | 91 | 10 | 108 | 50 | 12 | 2 | 15 | ..... | 33 | ..... | 156 | 92 | 6 | 6 | 1,005 | 3,106 | 667 | ..... | 3,773 | 14 |
| ..... | 49 | 49 | 58 | 58 | 7 | 7 | 9 | 9 | 18 | 18 | 90 | 458 | 3 | 3 | 316 | 2,334 | 263 | 3,779 | 6,376 | 15 |
| ..... | 60 | 30 | 71 | 35 | 8 | ..... | 10 | 6 | 21 | ..... | 109 | 63 | 4 | 4 | 147 | 1,813 | 332 | 898 | 3,043 | 16 |
| ..... | 26 | 12 | 31 | 15 | 4 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 45 | 124 | 2 | 2 | 39 | 789 | 78 | 141 | 1,008 | 17 |
| 10 | 33 | 10 | 37 | 10 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 2 | 11 | 2 | 50 | 50 | 2 | 2 | 79 | 917 | 357 | 156 | 1,430 | 18 |
| ..... | 3 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 10 | ..... | ..... | 425 | 597 | 72 | 67 | 736 | 19 |
| ..... | 28 | 10 | 34 | 10 | 4 | 2 | 6 | 3 | 10 | ..... | 53 | ..... | 2 | ..... | 104 | 775 | 272 | 215 | 1,262 | 20 |
| ..... | 26 | 1 | 31 | 1 | 2 | ..... | 5 | 1 | 9 | ..... | 40 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 60 | 391 | 87 | 78 | 556 | 21 |
| $137 | $791 | $378 | $934 | $478 | $109 | $58 | $133 | $63 | $281 | $115 | $1,356 | $1,973 | $53 | $45 | $6,217 | $27,247 | $7,582 | $6,703 | $41,532 | |

# Table No. III.—Finance.

## MONROE DISTRICT.

| Number. | Name of Charge. | Presiding Elder. | | Preacher in Charge. | | Bishops' Fund. | | Conference Claimants. | | Foreign Missions. | | Home and Conf. Missions. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Assessed. | Paid. | Assessed. | Paid. | Ass'd. | Paid. | Ass'd. | Paid. | Assessed. | Paid. | Assessed. | Paid. |
| 1 | Bastrop | $ 75 | $ 66 | $ 500 | $ 444 | $ 10 | $ 3 | $ 36 | $ 7 | $ 42 | $ 8 | $ 57 | $ 8 |
| 2 | Bonita | 105 | 66 | 700 | 365 | 11 | 3 | 42 | 10 | 48 | 10 | 66 | 12 |
| 3 | Brooklyn | 41 | 31 | 275 | 213 | 5 | 1 | 25 | 5 | 30 | 8 | 40 | 10 |
| 4 | Calhoun | 113 | 56 | 755 | 402 | 20 | 1 | 78 | 12 | 91 | 10 | 127 | 12 |
| 5 | [illegible]ros | 120 | 83 | 800 | 703 | 16 | 5 | 63 | 18 | 73 | 18 | 100 | 26 |
| 6 | Farmerville | 85 | 61 | 565 | 413 | 12 | 3 | 43 | 8 | 50 | 10 | 69 | 25 |
| 7 | Florence | 135 | 42 | 900 | 578 | 14 | 5 | 55 | 15 | 66 | 10 | 89 | 10 |
| 8 | Gilbert | 97 | 90 | 650 | 600 | 16 | 4 | 67 | 25 | 78 | 20 | 106 | 14 |
| 9 | Lake Providence | 150 | 150 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 14 | 4 | 57 | 30 | 67 | 30 | 90 | 16 |
| 10 | Mangham | 135 | 92 | 900 | 650 | 14 | 3 | 58 | 10 | 66 | 7 | 90 | 15 |
| 11 | Mer Rouge | 150 | 137 | 1,000 | 918 | 14 | 12 | 52 | 52 | 60 | 60 | 82 | 80 |
| 12 | Monroe | 300 | 300 | 2,000 | 1,843 | 39 | 24 | 158 | 100 | 184 | 114 | 252 | 156 |
| 13 | Oak Grove | 120 | 120 | 800 | 800 | 18 | 4 | 72 | 5 | 84 | 1 | 115 | 5 |
| 14 | Rayville | 135 | 154 | 900 | 1,028 | 16 | 10 | 65 | 41 | 76 | 47 | 104 | 65 |
| 15 | Tallulah | 150 | 63 | 1,000 | 651 | 12 | 1 | 52 | 5 | 59 | 5 | 79 | ..... |
| 16 | Waterproof | 120 | 106 | 800 | 706 | 12 | 4 | 52 | 15 | 59 | 15 | 82 | 24 |
| 17 | West Monroe | 87 | 55 | 575 | 370 | 9 | 3 | 31 | 12 | 37 | 21 | 50 | 20 |
| 18 | Winnsboro | 120 | 92 | 800 | 607 | 16 | ..... | 68 | 10 | 79 | 10 | 108 | 5 |
| | Total | $2,238 | $1,764 | $14,920 | $12,291 | $268 | $90 | $1,074 | $470 | $1,249 | $404 | $1,706 | $503 |

## NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Bogalusa | $ 153 | $ 150 | $ 900 | $ 900 | $ 12 | $ 12 | $ 47 | $ 47 | $ 55 | $ 55 | $ 75 | $ 75 |
| 2 | Donaldsonville & Vacherie | 153 | ..... | 900 | 728 | 10 | 4 | 39 | 15 | 45 | 5 | 65 | 12 |
| 3 | New Orleans: Algiers | 136 | 136 | 800 | 800 | 16 | 10 | 63 | 50 | 73 | 50 | 100 | 70 |
| 4 | Carrollton Avenue | 221 | 221 | 1,300 | 1,300 | 19 | 19 | 74 | 76 | 89 | 89 | 121 | 121 |
| 5 | Epworth | 119 | 119 | 700 | 700 | 10 | 2 | 40 | 11 | 47 | 10 | 64 | 17 |
| 6 | Felicity Street | 170 | 170 | 1,000 | 1,004 | 15 | 15 | 61 | 61 | 71 | 71 | 97 | 97 |
| 7 | First Church | 425 | 425 | 2,500 | 2,500 | 39 | 39 | 153 | 153 | 181 | 181 | 247 | 247 |
| 8 | Louisiana Avenue | 102 | 102 | 600 | 600 | 12 | 10 | 48 | 45 | 56 | 45 | 76 | 70 |
| 9 | Mary Werlein | 17 | 20 | 100 | 120 | 3 | 3 | 14 | 14 | 16 | 16 | 23 | ..... |
| 10 | McDonoghville | 51 | 51 | 300 | 300 | 5 | 2 | 18 | 5 | 22 | 6 | 30 | 9 |
| 11 | Parker Memorial | 204 | 204 | 1,200 | 1,200 | 17 | 17 | 70 | 70 | 81 | 81 | 110 | 110 |
| 12 | Rayne Memorial | 425 | 425 | 2,500 | 2,500 | 38 | 38 | 151 | 157 | 175 | 175 | 239 | 239 |
| 13 | Second Church | 102 | 100 | 600 | 600 | 15 | ..... | 58 | 58 | 68 | 40 | 93 | 79 |
| 14 | Slidell and Covington | 119 | 127 | 700 | 750 | 15 | 6 | 58 | 6 | 68 | 8 | 93 | 11 |
| 15 | St. Tammany Circuit | 68 | ..... | 400 | 429 | 10 | ..... | 41 | 2 | 48 | ..... | 66 | 20 |
| | Total | $2,465 | $2,250 | $14,500 | $14,431 | $236 | $177 | $931 | $770 | $1,095 | $832 | $1,489 | $1,177 |

## RUSTON DISTRICT.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Arcadia | $ 150 | $ 160 | $ 1,000 | $ 1,060 | $ 17 | $ 3 | $ 69 | $ 10 | $ 80 | $ 10 | $ 110 | $ 10 |
| 2 | Benton | 85 | 55 | 565 | 366 | 9 | 2 | 38 | 12 | 44 | 15 | 61 | 20 |
| 3 | Bernice | 104 | 104 | 696 | 696 | 16 | 5 | 67 | 35 | 78 | 40 | 106 | 19 |
| 4 | Bienville | 104 | 77 | 696 | 520 | 15 | ..... | 59 | ..... | 69 | ..... | 95 | ..... |
| 5 | Boyd Mission | 31 | 31 | 211 | 239 | 2 | 1 | 8 | 4 | 9 | 4 | 13 | 6 |
| 6 | Cotton Valley | 80 | 79 | 530 | 531 | 12 | 6 | 50 | 20 | 58 | 21 | 79 | 28 |
| 7 | Haughton | 124 | 111 | 826 | 741 | 18 | 5 | 73 | 39 | 85 | 30 | 117 | 50 |
| 8 | Haynesville | 150 | 150 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 23 | 14 | 93 | 45 | 108 | 70 | 148 | 75 |
| 9 | Haynesville Mission | 30 | 25 | 205 | 167 | 5 | 1 | 19 | 2 | 22 | 2 | 30 | 2 |
| 10 | Homer | 180 | 180 | 1,200 | 1,200 | 23 | 13 | 92 | 82 | 107 | 107 | 147 | 107 |
| 11 | Plain Dealing | 86 | 82 | 573 | 543 | 12 | 6 | 50 | 10 | 58 | 11 | 80 | 16 |
| 12 | Gibsland | 112 | 98 | 751 | 744 | 14 | 7 | 55 | 30 | 62 | 15 | 87 | 15 |
| 13 | Jonesboro | 105 | 111 | 700 | 746 | 12 | 6 | 46 | 46 | 53 | 20 | 73 | 30 |
| 14 | Lanesville | 105 | 91 | 700 | 614 | 19 | ..... | 70 | 55 | 81 | 46 | 111 | 47 |
| 15 | Lisbon | 117 | 105 | 780 | 710 | 23 | 12 | 93 | 44 | 108 | 50 | 148 | 50 |
| 16 | Minden | 225 | 225 | 1,500 | 1,500 | 24 | 24 | 97 | 97 | 113 | 113 | 155 | 155 |
| 17 | Ringgold | 76 | 67 | 507 | 450 | 10 | 2 | 42 | 5 | 49 | 10 | 67 | 10 |
| 18 | Ruston | 270 | 270 | 1,800 | 1,800 | 39 | 25 | 157 | 125 | 183 | 100 | 249 | 200 |
| 19 | Simsboro | 90 | 65 | 600 | 435 | 11 | 3 | 44 | 8 | 51 | 14 | 70 | 16 |
| 20 | Vernon | 78 | 68 | 522 | 457 | 14 | 2 | 55 | 19 | 64 | 19 | 87 | 19 |
| 21 | Winnfield | 150 | 150 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 14 | 14 | 58 | 58 | 67 | 67 | 92 | 92 |
| | Total | $2,348 | $2,304 | $16,362 | $15,519 | $32 | $151 | $1,335 | $746 | $1,549 | $764 | $2,125 | $967 |

# Table No. III.—Finance.

## MONROE DISTRICT.

| Specials for Missions—Paid. | Church Extension. | | Education. | | American Bible Soc. | | Gen. Conf. Expenses. | | Education Extension. | | Orphanage. | | Minutes. | | Objects Not Elsewhere Reported. | Total, Table No. 3. | Total, Table No. 2. | Total, Table No. 1. | Grand Total, Tables 1, 2, and 3. | Number. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Ass'd. | Paid. | Ass'd. | Paid. | Ass'd | Pd. | Ass'd | Pd. | Ass'd. | Pd. | Assessed. | Paid. | Ass'd | Pd. | | | | | | |
| ..... | $ 26 | $ 5 | $ 32 | $ 5 | $ 4 | ..... | $ 4 | $ 1 | $ 9 | ..... | $ 45 | $ 69 | $ 2 | .... | $ 60 | $ 676 | $ 6 | $ 252 | $ 934 | 1 |
| ..... | 31 | 5 | 36 | 10 | 4 | $ 4 | 5 | ..... | 11 | ..... | 53 | 53 | 2 | $ 2 | 100 | 640 | 100 | 75 | 815 | 2 |
| ..... | 18 | 1 | 22 | ..... | 3 | 1 | 3 | ..... | 7 | $ 1 | 31 | 21 | 1 | 1 | ..... | 293 | 45 | ..... | 338 | 3 |
| ..... | 60 | 2 | 70 | 2 | 8 | 2 | 6 | .... | 21 | .... | 99 | 27 | 4 | 2 | ..... | 528 | 31 | 600 | 1,159 | 4 |
| ..... | 47 | 12 | 56 | 13 | 6 | ..... | 6 | ..... | 16 | 5 | 79 | 26 | 3 | 3 | 105 | 1,117 | 93 | 45 | 1,255 | 5 |
| ..... | 33 | 5 | 38 | 7 | 4 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 11 | 3 | 54 | 54 | 2 | 1 | 152 | 745 | 59 | ..... | 804 | 6 |
| ..... | 42 | ..... | 49 | 10 | 6 | 3 | 7 | ..... | 15 | ..... | 71 | 15 | 3 | 2 | 130 | 820 | 53 | 100 | 973 | 7 |
| ..... | 50 | 10 | 58 | 5 | 6 | ..... | 7 | 1 | 29 | ..... | 83 | 113 | 3 | ..... | 300 | 1,182 | ..... | 50 | 1,232 | 8 |
| ..... | 42 | ..... | 49 | ..... | 6 | ..... | 8 | 2 | 15 | ..... | 70 | 105 | 3 | 3 | 207 | 1,547 | 128 | 147 | 1,822 | 9 |
| ..... | 43 | 3 | 51 | 3 | 6 | ..... | 8 | ..... | 15 | ..... | 71 | 122 | 3 | 3 | ..... | 908 | 21 | ..... | 929 | 10 |
| ..... | 38 | 35 | 45 | 40 | 5 | 5 | 7 | 2 | 13 | 5 | 64 | 172 | 3 | 3 | 193 | 1,714 | 491 | 211 | 2,416 | 11 |
| ..... | 117 | 72 | 138 | 85 | 16 | 10 | 19 | 12 | 41 | 25 | 197 | 178 | 8 | 8 | 1,300 | 4,227 | 587 | 200 | 5,014 | 12 |
| ..... | 54 | 2 | 63 | 1 | 7 | 1 | 10 | ..... | 19 | ..... | 91 | ..... | 3 | 1 | 40 | 980 | 50 | 3.000 | 4.030 | 13 |
| ..... | 49 | 30 | 58 | 46 | 6 | 4 | 8 | 5 | 17 | ..... | 83 | 124 | 3 | 2 | 461 | 2.015 | 520 | 284 | 2,819 | 14 |
| ..... | 37 | ..... | 44 | ..... | 5 | ..... | 7 | ..... | 13 | ..... | 62 | 26 | 3 | 1 | 50 | 802 | 100 | 87 | 989 | 15 |
| ..... | 38 | 10 | 45 | 15 | 5 | 2 | 7 | 3 | 14 | ..... | 64 | 130 | 3 | 2 | 70 | 1,102 | 225 | 172 | 1,499 | 16 |
| ..... | 24 | 9 | 27 | 10 | 5 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 9 | ..... | 41 | 114 | 2 | 2 | 281 | 896 | 372 | 200 | 1,468 | 17 |
| ..... | 51 | ..... | 59 | ..... | 6 | ..... | 8 | ..... | 8 | ..... | 85 | 53 | 3 | ..... | 39 | 816 | 113 | 43 | 972 | 18 |
| ..... | $800 | $201 | $940 | $252 | $103 | $35 | $130 | $30 | $293 | $39 | $1,343 | $1,382 | $54 | $36 | $3,488 | $21,008 | $2,994 | $5,466 | $29,468 | |

## NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| ..... | $ 33 | $ 33 | $ 41 | $ 41 | $ 5 | $ 6 | $ 6 | $ 6 | $ 12 | $ 6 | $ 59 | $ 59 | $ 2 | $ 2 | $ 491 | $ 1,883 | $ 101 | ..... | $ 1,984 | 1 |
| ..... | 27 | 4 | 34 | 2 | 4 | ..... | 5 | ..... | 10 | ..... | 48 | 64 | 2 | ..... | ..... | 834 | 83 | $ 42 | 959 | 2 |
| ..... | 34 | 25 | 45 | 30 | 6 | 4 | 8 | 8 | 17 | 10 | 79 | 55 | 3 | 3 | 350 | 1,601 | 179 | 33 | 1,813 | 3 |
| $30 | 53 | 53 | 64 | 87 | 7 | 7 | 9 | 9 | 20 | ..... | 95 | 118 | 4 | 4 | 527 | 2,661 | 1,264 | 52 | 3,977 | 4 |
| ..... | 28 | 7 | 35 | 9 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 11 | 2 | 50 | 40 | 2 | 2 | 165 | 1,090 | 221 | 354 | 1,665 | 5 |
| ..... | 42 | 42 | 34 | 54 | 6 | 6 | 7 | 7 | 16 | 16 | 76 | 194 | 3 | 3 | 575 | 2,316 | 507 | ..... | 2,823 | 6 |
| ..... | 108 | 108 | 137 | 137 | 16 | 16 | 19 | 19 | 41 | 41 | 194 | 194 | 8 | 8 | 3,067 | 7,135 | 2,294 | 452 | 9.881 | 7 |
| ..... | 33 | 20 | 42 | 40 | 5 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 13 | ..... | 60 | 202 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 1,149 | 489 | 343 | 1,981 | 8 |
| ..... | 10 | 10 | 12 | 15 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | ..... | 18 | 18 | 1 | 1 | 227 | 447 | 262 | 138 | 847 | 9 |
| ..... | 13 | 4 | 16 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 3 | ..... | 5 | ..... | 24 | 24 | 1 | 1 | 221 | 628 | 164 | 1,762 | 2.554 | 10 |
| ..... | 48 | 48 | 61 | 61 | 7 | 7 | 8 | 8 | 18 | 18 | 87 | 147 | 3 | 3 | 757 | 2,731 | 596 | 1,840 | 5,167 | 11 |
| ..... | 105 | 105 | 132 | 132 | 15 | 15 | 18 | 18 | 40 | 40 | 190 | 190 | 7 | 7 | 3,301 | 7,342 | 1,651 | 1,859 | 10,852 | 12 |
| ..... | 41 | ..... | 51 | ..... | 6 | ..... | 7 | ..... | 15 | ..... | 73 | 51 | 3 | ..... | ..... | 928 | 341 | 1,727 | 2.996 | 13 |
| ..... | 41 | 1 | 51 | 2 | 6 | 1 | 7 | 1 | 15 | ..... | 73 | 35 | 3 | 1 | 290 | 1,239 | 498 | 279 | 2,016 | 14 |
| ..... | 29 | 8 | 36 | 5 | 4 | ..... | 5 | ..... | 11 | ..... | 48 | 15 | 2 | ..... | 184 | 663 | 64 | 600 | 1,327 | 15 |
| $30 | $645 | $468 | $791 | $619 | $94 | $72 | $115 | $84 | $247 | $133 | $1,174 | $1,406 | $46 | $37 | $10,160 | $32.647 | $8,714 | $9,481 | $50,842 | |

## RUSTON DISTRICT.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| ..... | $ 51 | $ 10 | $ 61 | $ 9 | $ 7 | $ 1 | $ 8 | ..... | $ 18 | ..... | $ 87 | $ 38 | $ 4 | $ 2 | $ 350 | $ 1,663 | $ 160 | ..... | $ 1,823 | 1 |
| ..... | 28 | 12 | 33 | 12 | 4 | 1 | 5 | $ 2 | 10 | $ 5 | 48 | 35 | 2 | 1 | 109 | 647 | 66 | ..... | 713 | 2 |
| ..... | 49 | 10 | 58 | 29 | 7 | 3 | 8 | 4 | 18 | 2 | 84 | 184 | 3 | 3 | 559 | 1,693 | 249 | $ 98 | 2,040 | 3 |
| ..... | 44 | ..... | 52 | ..... | 6 | ..... | 7 | ..... | 16 | ..... | 74 | 55 | 3 | ..... | 115 | 767 | 69 | 500 | 1,336 | 4 |
| ..... | 5 | 5 | 7 | 2 | 1 | ..... | 1 | ..... | 2 | ..... | 10 | 9 | 1 | 1 | ..... | 299 | 11 | 1,020 | 1,330 | 5 |
| ..... | 36 | 17 | 43 | 15 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 2 | 13 | 5 | 62 | 56 | 3 | 2 | 20 | 827 | 2 | ..... | 829 | 6 |
| ..... | 54 | 24 | 64 | 24 | 7 | 7 | 9 | 4 | 19 | ..... | 92 | 171 | 4 | 4 | 345 | 1,555 | 197 | 945 | 2,697 | 7 |
| ..... | 68 | 40 | 81 | 45 | 9 | 5 | 11 | 5 | 25 | ..... | 116 | 96 | 5 | 5 | 706 | 2,211 | 250 | 1,060 | 3,521 | 8 |
| ..... | 14 | 2 | 16 | ..... | 2 | 2 | 2 | ..... | 5 | ..... | 23 | 4 | 1 | 1 | ..... | 208 | 19 | ..... | 227 | 9 |
| ..... | 68 | 28 | 81 | 31 | 9 | 4 | 11 | 1 | 24 | 4 | 116 | 116 | 5 | 3 | 478 | 2,354 | 325 | 1,291 | 3,970 | 10 |
| ..... | 37 | 7 | 44 | 11 | 5 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 13 | ..... | 63 | 35 | 3 | 3 | 50 | 777 | ..... | 5 | 782 | 11 |
| ..... | 40 | 5 | 48 | 5 | 5 | 2 | 7 | 3 | 14 | ..... | 68 | 30 | 3 | 3 | 102 | 1,059 | 55 | 46 | 1,160 | 12 |
| ..... | 34 | 11 | 40 | 12 | 5 | 3 | 6 | 2 | 12 | 6 | 57 | 57 | 2 | 1 | 283 | 1,334 | ..... | 110 | 1,444 | 13 |
| ..... | 51 | 25 | 61 | 25 | 7 | 5 | 8 | 4 | 18 | 9 | 87 | 46 | 4 | 3 | 32 | 1,013 | 24 | 806 | 1,843 | 14 |
| ..... | 69 | 20 | 81 | 25 | 9 | 9 | 11 | 1 | 25 | ..... | 116 | 116 | 5 | 4 | ..... | 1,146 | 18 | ..... | 1,164 | 15 |
| ..... | 72 | 72 | 85 | 85 | 10 | 10 | 12 | 12 | 26 | 26 | 122 | 147 | 5 | 5 | 420 | 2,891 | 563 | ..... | 3,454 | 16 |
| ..... | 31 | 2 | 37 | ..... | 4 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 11 | ..... | 52 | 76 | 2 | 1 | 198 | 823 | 12 | ..... | 835 | 17 |
| ..... | 116 | 80 | 137 | 120 | 16 | 10 | 19 | 9 | 41 | ..... | 196 | 333 | 8 | 6 | 1,415 | 4,493 | 412 | 3,000 | 7,905 | 18 |
| ..... | 32 | 5 | 39 | 5 | 4 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 12 | 2 | 55 | 25 | 2 | 2 | 641 | 1,224 | 20 | ..... | 1,244 | 19 |
| ..... | 40 | 8 | 48 | 8 | 5 | ..... | 7 | ..... | 14 | ..... | 68 | 57 | 3 | 2 | 362 | 1,022 | 18 | 280 | 1.320 | 20 |
| ..... | 42 | 42 | 51 | 51 | 6 | 6 | 7 | 7 | 15 | 15 | 72 | 104 | 3 | 3 | 328 | 1,937 | 70 | 209 | 2,216 | 21 |
| ..... | $981 | $425 | $1,167 | $514 | $133 | $77 | $161 | $60 | $351 | $74 | $1,668 | $1,790 | $71 | $55 | $6,513 | $29,943 | $2,540 | $9.370 | $41.853 | |

# Table No. III.—Finance.

## SHREVEPORT DISTRICT.

| Number. | Name of Charge. | Presiding Elder. | | Preacher in Charge. | | Bishops' Fund. | | Conference Claimants. | | Foreign Missions. | | Home and Conf. Missions. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Assessed. | Paid. | Assessed. | Paid. | Ass'd. | Paid. | Ass'd. | Paid. | Assessed. | Paid. | Assessed. | Paid. |
| 1 | Anacoco | $ 62 | $ 36 | $ 350 | $ 350 | $ 10 | $ 2 | $ 41 | $ 3 | $ 46 | $ 3 | $ 64 | $ 3 |
| 2 | Bayou Lachute | 150 | 150 | 1,000 | 1,100 | 12 | 12 | 47 | 47 | 54 | 54 | 75 | 75 |
| 3 | Bossier City | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 4 | ..... | 13 | ..... | 14 | ..... | 20 | ..... |
| 4 | Coushatta | 93 | 80 | 622 | 581 | 8 | 8 | 34 | 8 | 38 | 8 | 53 | 8 |
| 5 | Grand Cane | 150 | 143 | 1,000 | 958 | 15 | 10 | 68 | 68 | 78 | 78 | 107 | 107 |
| 6 | Grand Cane Mission | 56 | 56 | 375 | 375 | 8 | 5 | 34 | 30 | 38 | 25 | 53 | 35 |
| 7 | Greenwood and Dixie | 82 | 82 | 550 | 633 | 9 | 9 | 37 | 37 | 42 | 42 | 59 | 59 |
| 8 | Ida | 82 | 67 | 550 | 452 | 14 | 7 | 54 | 20 | 62 | 8 | 86 | 2 |
| 9 | Keatchie | 100 | 106 | 665 | 705 | 17 | 9 | 68 | 68 | 78 | 45 | 108 | 63 |
| 10 | Leesville | 225 | 225 | 1,500 | 1,500 | 28 | 28 | 112 | 112 | 131 | 50 | 180 | 50 |
| 11 | Mansfield | 270 | 270 | 1,800 | 1,800 | 30 | 30 | 118 | 118 | 139 | 139 | 189 | 189 |
| 12 | Many | 166 | 157 | 1,112 | 1,050 | 19 | 10 | 74 | 40 | 87 | 30 | 119 | 50 |
| 13 | Mooringsport | 146 | 134 | 975 | 910 | 12 | 5 | 44 | 24 | 51 | 20 | 70 | 20 |
| 14 | Pelican | 90 | 92 | 600 | 600 | 18 | 5 | 71 | 27 | 83 | 44 | 114 | 25 |
| 15 | Pleasant Hill | 91 | 68 | 611 | 454 | 19 | 6 | 75 | 10 | 87 | 20 | 118 | 20 |
| 16 | Shreveport: First Church | 450 | 450 | 3,000 | 3,000 | 50 | 50 | 216 | 216 | 251 | 251 | 343 | 343 |
| 17 | Noel Memorial | 225 | 225 | 1,500 | 1,500 | 18 | 18 | 71 | 71 | 83 | 83 | 113 | 113 |
| 18 | Texas Avenue | 135 | 107 | 900 | 719 | 16 | 5 | 61 | 18 | 71 | 22 | 96 | 29 |
| 19 | Queensboro | 46 | 23 | 310 | 190 | 4 | 1 | 12 | 8 | 15 | 8 | 19 | 5 |
| 20 | South Mansfield | 45 | 10 | 300 | 209 | 2 | ..... | 6 | ..... | 7 | ..... | 8 | ..... |
| 21 | Vivian | 45 | 23 | 300 | 162 | 6 | ..... | 23 | 5 | 27 | 4 | 37 | 2 |
| 22 | Wesley | 60 | 43 | 400 | 290 | 8 | 3 | 30 | 12 | 39 | 12 | 47 | 18 |
| 23 | Zwolle | 138 | 120 | 922 | 800 | 18 | 18 | 71 | 71 | 83 | 83 | 113 | 66 |
| | Total | $2,886 | $2,667 | $19,342 | $18,338 | $345 | $241 | $1,380 | $1,013 | $1,604 | $1,029 | $2,091 | $1,283 |

## RECAPITULATION.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Alexandria District | $ 2,386 | $ 2,024 | $ 15,924 | $ 14,423 | $ 239 | $ 118 | $ 958 | $ 441 | $ 1,105 | $ 575 | $ 1,524 | $ 673 |
| 2 | Baton Rouge District | 2,367 | 1,837 | 15,811 | 12,199 | 308 | 104 | 1,234 | 505 | 1,434 | 398 | 1,959 | 501 |
| 3 | Lafayette District | 2,080 | 1,904 | 14,865 | 13,571 | 269 | 163 | 1,072 | 618 | 1,245 | 632 | 1,695 | 874 |
| 4 | Monroe District | 2,238 | 1,764 | 14,920 | 12,291 | 268 | 90 | 1,074 | 470 | 1,249 | 404 | 1,706 | 503 |
| 5 | New Orleans District | 2,465 | 2,250 | 14,500 | 14,431 | 236 | 177 | 931 | 770 | 1,095 | 832 | 1,489 | 1,177 |
| 6 | Ruston District | 2,348 | 2,304 | 16,362 | 15,519 | 332 | 151 | 1,335 | 746 | 1,549 | 764 | 2,125 | 967 |
| 7 | Shreveport District | 2,886 | 2,667 | 19,342 | 18,338 | 345 | 241 | 1,380 | 1.013 | 1,604 | 1,029 | 2,091 | 1,283 |
| | Total | $16,753 | $14,750 | $111,124 | $100,772 | $1,997 | $1,044 | $7.984 | $4,563 | $ 9,281 | $4,634 | $12,589 | $5,978 |
| | Total last year | 16,394 | 14.520 | 109,112 | 98,228 | 1,849 | 1,167 | 7,513 | 5,199 | 10,236 | 5,853 | 10,140 | 5,925 |
| | Increase | $ 359 | $ 230 | $ 2.012 | $ 2,544 | $ 148 | ..... | $ 471 | ..... | ..... | ..... | $ 2,449 | $ 53 |
| | Decrease | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | $ 123 | ..... | $ 636 | $ 955 | $1,219 | ..... | ..... |

# Table No. III.—Finance.

## SHREVEPORT DISTRICT.

| Specials for Missions—Paid. | Church Extension. | | Education. | | American Bible Soc. | | Gen. Conf. Expenses. | | Education Extension. | | Orphanage. | | Minutes. | | Objects Not Elsewhere Reported. | Total, Table No. 3. | Total, Table No. 2. | Total, Table No. 1. | Grand Total, Tables 1, 2, and 3. | Number. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Ass'd. | Paid. | Ass'd. | Paid. | Ass'd | Pd. | Ass'd | Pd. | Ass'd. | Pd. | Assessed. | Paid. | Ass'd | Pd. | | | | | | |
| ..... | $ 30 | $ 2 | $ 38 | $ 1 | $ 4 | ..... | $ 5 | ..... | $ 10 | ..... | $ 52 | $ 25 | $ 2 | $ 2 | $ 50 | $ 477 | $ 52 | $ 65 | $ 594 | 1 |
| $ 35 | 35 | 35 | 45 | 45 | 5 | $ 5 | 5 | $ 5 | 12 | $ 12 | 61 | 85 | 3 | 3 | 150 | 1,778 | 30 | 200 | 2,008 | 2 |
| ..... | 10 | ..... | 10 | ..... | 1 | ..... | 1 | ..... | 3 | ..... | 17 | ..... | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 3 |
| ..... | 25 | ..... | 32 | ..... | 3 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 9 | ..... | 43 | 48 | 2 | 2 | 9 | 756 | 30 | 416 | 1,202 | 4 |
| ..... | 50 | 42 | 64 | 64 | 7 | 7 | 8 | 4 | 18 | ..... | 86 | 107 | 4 | 4 | 197 | 1,789 | 255 | 98 | 2,142 | 5 |
| ..... | 25 | 10 | 32 | 20 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 9 | ..... | 43 | 12 | 2 | 2 | 33 | 608 | 10 | 4 | 622 | 6 |
| ..... | 27 | 27 | 35 | 35 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 9 | 9 | 47 | 81 | 2 | 2 | ..... | 1,024 | 99 | 293 | 1,416 | 7 |
| ..... | 40 | 15 | 51 | 10 | 5 | 5 | 7 | 3 | 14 | ..... | 69 | 38 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 633 | 5 | ..... | 638 | 8 |
| ..... | 50 | 25 | 64 | 41 | 7 | 4 | 8 | 4 | 18 | 12 | 86 | 90 | 4 | 2 | 114 | 1,288 | 210 | 100 | 1,598 | 9 |
| ..... | 84 | 20 | 106 | 25 | 10 | 10 | 13 | 5 | 30 | ..... | 142 | 50 | 6 | 2 | 7 | 2,084 | 275 | 62 | 2,421 | 10 |
| ..... | 91 | 87 | 112 | 112 | 12 | 12 | 14 | 14 | 31 | 31 | 149 | 334 | 6 | 6 | 738 | 3,880 | 722 | 3,074 | 7,676 | 11 |
| ..... | 55 | 20 | 70 | 35 | 7 | 2 | 9 | 3 | 20 | 7 | 94 | 55 | 3 | 3 | 211 | 1,673 | 568 | 506 | 2,747 | 12 |
| ..... | 33 | 10 | 42 | 15 | 5 | 2 | 5 | 2 | 11 | ..... | 55 | 51 | 2 | 2 | 8 | 1,203 | 5 | 433 | 1,641 | 13 |
| ..... | 52 | 10 | 67 | 15 | 7 | 7 | 10 | 3 | 19 | 5 | 89 | 64 | 3 | 3 | 12 | 912 | 23 | 8 | 943 | 14 |
| 10 | 51 | 10 | 70 | 2 | 7 | 3 | 10 | 2 | 20 | ..... | 94 | ..... | 3 | 1 | 123 | 729 | 27 | ..... | 756 | 15 |
| 1,000 | 159 | 159 | 203 | 203 | 23 | 24 | 27 | 27 | 57 | 57 | 271 | 329 | 10 | 10 | 2,340 | 8,584 | 4,762 | 20,831 | 34,177 | 16 |
| 47 | 54 | 52 | 67 | 67 | 7 | 7 | 9 | 9 | 20 | 20 | 90 | 90 | 3 | 3 | 493 | 2,798 | 845 | 1,224 | 4,867 | 17 |
| ..... | 46 | 14 | 57 | 17 | 6 | 2 | 7 | 2 | 16 | 5 | 77 | 23 | 3 | 1 | 85 | 1,049 | 885 | 126 | 2,060 | 18 |
| ..... | 3 | 3 | 11 | 5 | 1 | ..... | 1 | ..... | 3 | ..... | 2 | 9 | 1 | ..... | 93 | 345 | 865 | ..... | 1,210 | 19 |
| ..... | 2 | ..... | 5 | ..... | 1 | ..... | 1 | ..... | 2 | ..... | 1 | 4 | 1 | ..... | ..... | 223 | 58 | 33 | 314 | 20 |
| ..... | 17 | ..... | 21 | 2 | 3 | ..... | 3 | ..... | 5 | ..... | 30 | 9 | 1 | 1 | ..... .. | 209 | ..... | ..... | 209 | 21 |
| ..... | 24 | 12 | 28 | 12 | 3 | ..... | 4 | 1 | 8 | 3 | 38 | 14 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 421 | ..... | ..... | 421 | 22 |
| ..... | 52 | 20 | 67 | 20 | 7 | 7 | 8 | 8 | 20 | 4 | 90 | 130 | 3 | 3 | 514 | 1,864 | 355 | 81 | 2,300 | 23 |
| $1.092 | $1,015 | $573 | $1,297 | $746 | $138 | $106 | $167 | $100 | $364 | $265 | $1,726 | $1,648 | $69 | $55 | $5,237 | $34,327 | $10,081 | $27,554 | $71,962 | |

## RECAPITULATION.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| $ 18 | $ 705 | $ 310 | $ 837 | $ 341 | $ 99 | $ 53 | $119 | $ 46 | $ 254 | $135 | $ 1,199 | $1,058 | $ 52 | $ 32 | $ 4,710 | $ 24,483 | $ 5,941 | $ 6,366 | $ 36,790 | 1 |
| ..... | 907 | 190 | 1,080 | 257 | 123 | 45 | 150 | 32 | 325 | 23 | 1,542 | 677 | 61 | 38 | 3,283 | 20,056 | 2,942 | 3,326 | 26,324 | 2 |
| 137 | 791 | 378 | 934 | 478 | 109 | 58 | 133 | 63 | 281 | 115 | 1,356 | 1,973 | 53 | 45 | 6,217 | 27,247 | 7,582 | 6,703 | 41,532 | 3 |
| ..... | 800 | 201 | 940 | 252 | 103 | 35 | 130 | 30 | 293 | 39 | 1,343 | 1,382 | 54 | 36 | 3,488 | 21,008 | 2,994 | 5,466 | 29,468 | 4 |
| 30 | 645 | 468 | 791 | 619 | 94 | 72 | 115 | 84 | 247 | 133 | 1,174 | 1,406 | 46 | 37 | 10,160 | 32,647 | 8,714 | 9,481 | 50,842 | 5 |
| ..... | 981 | 425 | 1,167 | 514 | 133 | 77 | 161 | 60 | 351 | 74 | 1,668 | 1,790 | 71 | 55 | 6,513 | 29,943 | 2,540 | 9,370 | 41,853 | 6 |
| 1,092 | 1,015 | 573 | 1,297 | 746 | 138 | 106 | 167 | 100 | 364 | 265 | 1,726 | 1,648 | 69 | 55 | 5,237 | 34,327 | 10,081 | 27,554 | 71,962 | 7 |
| $1,259 | $5,844 | $2,545 | $7,046 | $3,207 | $799 | $446 | $975 | $415 | $2,115 | $784 | $10,008 | $9,934 | $406 | $298 | $39,608 | $189,711 | $40,794 | $68,266 | $298,771 | |
| ..... | 5,008 | 2,850 | 5,423 | 2,941 | 660 | 444 | ..... | ..... | 927 | 517 | ..... | 9,922 | 351 | 336 | 34,690 | 183,968 | 31,917 | 44,116 | 260,001 | |
| $1,259 | $ 836 | ..... | $1,623 | $ 266 | $139 | $ 2 | $975 | $415 | $1,178 | $167 | $10,008 | $ 812 | $ 55 | ..... | $ 4,918 | $ 5,743 | $ 8,877 | $24,150 | $ 38,770 | |
| ..... | ..... | $ 305 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | $ 38 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | |

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